WEATHER SYNOPSIS

Another pronounced cold wave is spreading southward over this Province, and snow is falling in the Sacramento Valley. The weather has moderated slightly in the Prairies.

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GREAT BRITAIN NOT EASY OVER PENDING PARLEY

City Council Tentatively Endorses Plan for Development of Willows Park

Many Improvements Are Suggested for Exhibition Grounds

New Home Products and Horse Show Buildings, Removal of Race Track 350 Feet North and Construction of Three-Quarter-Mile Track, New Grandstand and Bleachers Proposed

Project Provides for Park Beautification

TENTATIVE approval of a plan for extensive improvements to the buildings and grounds at Willows Park over a term of years was given by the City Council last night after it listened to representations made by a deputation from the B.C. Agricultural Association, composed of President W. H. Munsie and Secretary W. H. Mearns. The representatives of the Council on the directorate of the Agricultural Association were authorized to inquire into the matter of the cost of the suggested programme of development of the exhibition grounds, and to report back to the City Council.

President Munsie, laying the proposals before the council, stated that the present tentative plan of improvements and alterations for the the fair grounds had been drawn up by the Provincial Government through the efforts of Premier Tolmie and Hon. William Atkinson, Minister of Agriculture.

COMPREHENSIVE PROJECT

The comprehensive scheme contains many features. It is proposed that the race track be moved 350 feet north, and that the track be made a three-quarter of a mile track instead of half a mile, as at present, and that a new grandstand and new bleachers be constructed, the grandstand to accommodate 3,000 people and the bleachers about 2,500. The present grandstand and bleachers would be torn out.

Two new buildings are contemplated in the plan, namely, a home products building, 100 feet by 200 feet, which would be erected on the site formerly occupied by the old office building, and occupying a most conspicuous place on the grounds, and a horse show building, 200 feet by 300 feet over all, with a show ring 100 feet by 200 feet. The latter structure, which would accommodate 3,000 people, would be used for livestock judging at the fair, and at nights would be utilized for the horse show. The building would be constructed opposite the cattle barn.

It is suggested that the present

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School Board of Chicago Stated To Be Bankrupt

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—President H. Wallace Caldwell, of the Board of Education, said today the Chicago school system "is bankrupt and will probably be shut down within the next few weeks.

"I have learned positively," he said, "that tax anticipation warrants cannot be sold in Chicago or New York."

From the Colonist Tower

Tuesday, Jan. 14

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Fresh to strong north and east winds, fine and decidedly cold for several days.

Sun Rises: 8:03 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 4:43 o'clock.

High Tide: 12:12 p.m., 10.6 feet.
Low Tide: 8:59 p.m., 0.0 feet.

Sports

Victoria Rugby Union asks Council for control of Royal Athletic Park.
Vancouver and Portland chalk up victories in P.C.H.L.
Denny Shute leads in Los Angeles golf meet.
Midweek soccer teams may resume tomorrow.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Dr. Plaskett is awarded the Royal Astronomical Society's gold medal.
Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative Federal leader, will arrive in Victoria today.
City Council gives tentative endorsement to plan for developing Willows Park.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Great gale rages in England and part of Continent, causing loss of forty-two lives.
English press sees danger to Naval Conference in demands made by France.
Lord Beaverbrook gives explanation of his Empire Free Trade policy and tells what he expects of it.
Germany opposes International Bank for War Settlements but Hague parley goes on with its work.

LEADER TO ARRIVE IN CITY TODAY

Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative Federal Leader, Will Confer Regarding Next Dominion Election

MEETING SET FOR TOMORROW

Today and tomorrow will be active days as far as the Conservative party is concerned, for there will gather here the leader of the Dominion-wide organization, together with the members of the Senate and the House of Commons who represent British Columbia in the Canadian Parliament.

This afternoon Hon. R. B. Bennett and the representatives in the Dominion Houses will reach the city, and will take occasion to confer with Premier Tolmie and members of the Conservative Government here on matters of common concern. Foremost among these will be the discussion of the subject of organization, looking to the preparations for a Dominion election, so that the party may be in the best possible shape when the test at the polls is called.

TO SPEAK TOMORROW

The following evening Mr. Bennett will address the public in the Royal Victoria Theatre. The leader of the Conservative cause in Canada is one of the most fluent and able platform speakers in the Dominion of Canada and his presence here is sure to draw a very large attendance. The doors will open at 7:15 o'clock and promptly at 8 o'clock the speaking will begin.

Mr. Bennett will be supported by Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Premier of this province and a former colleague with the Dominion leader in the Federal Cabinet. Dr. Tolmie will address the gathering.

The other speakers for the evening will be the two Vancouver Island Conservative members of the House of Commons, Mr. D. B. Plunkett, member for Victoria, and Mr. C. H. Dickie, member for Nanaimo.

The meeting will be presided over by Mr. R. A. Wootton, president of the local Conservative Association.

PLANS ON PRAIRIES

At the conclusion of his British Columbia visit the Conservative leader will proceed to Saskatchewan, where two meetings are scheduled, at Regina and Saskatoon. On January 22 and 23 Mr. Bennett will be in Winnipeg and speak before the Maritime Club.

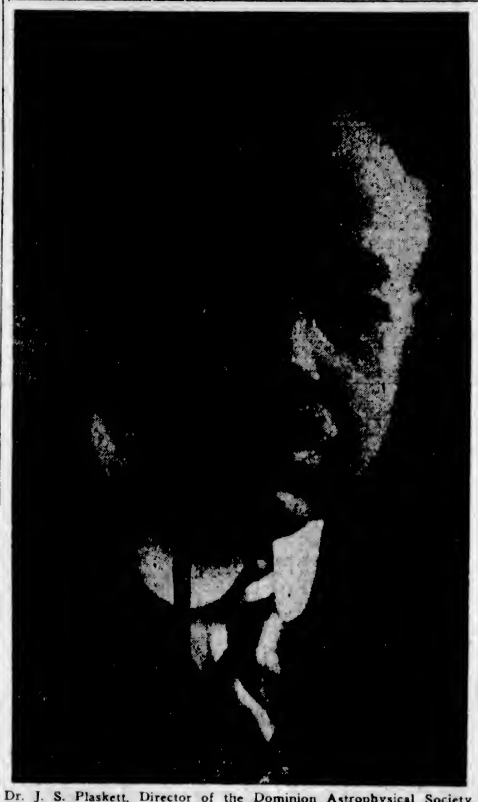
HAS BROKEN LEG

NANAIMO, Jan. 13.—Saul Anson, local fisherman aboard the fishing boat Cape Lazo, has sustained a broken leg below the knee. While making a set he was caught by a wire cable and his leg was broken. He was brought to the Nanaimo Hospital for treatment, and from latest reports is doing as well as can be expected.

PROBE "PARROT FEVER"

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 13.—Surgeon-General Cumming today placed Dr. Charles Armstrong, public health epidemiologist, in charge of a nation-wide investigation of widely scattered serious illnesses, attributed to "Parrot Fever" or Phittacosis.

Great Work Recognized



Dr. J. S. Plaskett, Director of the Dominion Astrophysical Society, Who Has Been Awarded the Royal Astronomical Society's Gold Medal and Invited to Give the George Darwin Lecture.

Empire Free Trade Likely To Defeat Unemployment In Coming Battle at Polls

By NEOLEY FARSON

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LONDON, Eng., Jan. 13.—Lord Beaverbrook has outlined, in a special interview with this correspondent, the forthcoming developments in his "Empire Free Trade Crusade." This campaign, which calls for uniting the British Commonwealth of Nations, covering one-fourth of the world, into a single economic unit, protected by its own tariff walls against highly competitive combinations such as the United States, is daily gaining headway, despite the initial skepticism toward it as a press stunt of perhaps the greatest newspaper proprietor in Great Britain.

Britishers generally are attracted by such a big idea as Empire solidarity. Others are intrigued by the possibilities of "sentimental preference," meaning the amount of business which could be kept within the Empire without any change in the existing tariffs. And in this "tariff world" even the most reactionary free traders are beginning to believe that Great Britain must go to protectionism if it wants to survive.

ELECTION ISSUE

Declaring that his movement would make Empire free trade an issue at all forthcoming by and general elections, opposing every parliamentary candidate who did not adopt the policy, Lord Beaverbrook outlined the steps in its future development.

"The first step must be made here in Great Britain," said Lord Beaverbrook. "Great Britain has to bury free trade. The funeral of the obsolete doctrine of Cobdenism marks the beginning. For the moment we can leave the self-governing dominions, such as Canada, Australia,

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Manitoba Towns Suffer Heavily Through Blazes

WINNIPEG, Jan. 13.—Two communities in Southern Manitoba counted the toll taken by fire today. Manitou's old Town Hall smolders in a heap of ashes. One fireman was injured in battling the blaze at the civic offices in the town, sixty miles southwest of Winnipeg. Damage was roughly estimated at $10,000.

Overheated furnace pipes were believed responsible for the destruction of the Unique Hotel at Pilot Mound, near Manitou, the town's third fire in a month. Approximately $20,000 damage was suffered.

MARRIED IN SAN FRANCISCO

At San Francisco, California, on December 27, the marriage was solemnized of Alice, only daughter of Mr. C. Woodruff, of Victoria, and James P. Veitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Veitch, of Victoria.

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Miss Mildred Bennett Will Also Be Present

Chairman: Mr. R. A. Wootton, President Victoria Conservative Association

Everyone Welcome

Hon. Mr. Bennett Now at Vancouver En Route to City

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13.—Hon. R. B. Bennett, Federal Conservative leader, arrived in Vancouver tonight from Calgary and will leave on tomorrow morning's boat for Victoria, where he will open a speaking tour of British Columbia on Wednesday night.

FIERCE GALE ALONG COAST OF ENGLAND

Brings Many Deaths in Its Wake and Great Amount of Property is Destroyed in Countryside

TWENTY-THREE ARE DROWNED IN WRECK

LONDON, Jan. 13.—A great gale raging over England last night and early today and then sweeping on to Northern Europe caused the death of forty-two persons in England, on the Continent and at sea. This list of known dead is supplemented by a longer one of those suffering from injuries.

Twenty sailors went down with the naval tug St. Genny, which foundered last night while hove to in mountainous Channel seas, thirty-two miles from Ushant. Only five survivors from the crew were picked up.

LONG DEATH ROLL

Fourteen deaths occurred inland in England. Most of them were caused by falling trees and masonry and similar accidents, though a youth was actually blown into the water and drowned while standing on Ramsgate pier.

Telegraph and telephone service was disrupted in many districts, cutting off wire communications between London and some of the big provincial centres.

The liner Antonia, arriving at Liverpool today, reported that she had been unable to call at Queenstown owing to the violence of the gale. Her wireless aerial had been blown down.

VIOLENT ON CONTINENT

Reports reaching London from the Continent indicate that the storm was violent there also, though the only deaths reported so far are those of a father, his son and daughter, and two companions who were drowned by the foundering of their motorboat at Vestfjord, Norway.

MR. F. V. HOBBS TELLS POLICY TO RATEPAYERS

Candidate for Saanich Reeveship Is Heard at Representative Meetings at Keating and Royal Oak

URGES NECESSITY FOR CO-OPERATION

"The word 'Saanich' has an Indian derivation and means 'The Land of Plenty.' With greater unison and co-operation in municipal affairs we can make it a land of contentment and prosperity as well."

In these words Mr. F. V. Hobbs, who is contesting the reeveship of Saanich at the forthcoming elections, addressed two representative meetings of ratepayers of the municipality at the Keating Temperance Hall and at Royal Oak School last night.

"Let me express my great appreciation," began Mr. Hobbs, "of the compliment which you paid me two years ago, when you elected me as head of the school board, at a time when I was too ill to leave my bed and state my case for election. It was a compliment which could only be repaid by conscientious service, and that service I have endeavored to render.

REEVE CROUCH'S REPORT

"I do not think it in good taste to tear to pieces the various things which Reeve Crouch has performed in his long three-year innings. It might not be out of place, however, to touch upon some of those things which he might have done. His report shows the prosperous financial condition of Saanich at the present time, and nobody is better pleased

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DR. PLASKETT IS AWARDED GOLD MEDAL

First Canadian to Receive Honor From Royal Astronomical Society — Receives News by Cable

TO BE PRESENTED IN LONDON IN MAY

Will Deliver George Darwin Lecture — Distinguished Honor Recognizes Outstanding Discoveries

FOR the first time in history the coveted gold medal of the Royal Astronomical Society has been awarded to a Canadian, Dr. J. S. Plaskett, director of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Victoria. Dr. Plaskett received the news of the great honor, the highest gift of the Royal Astronomical Society, in the following terse message, which reached him by cable from London yesterday:

"You are awarded gold medal and invited to give George Darwin lecture, preferably April or May."

Several times since his appointment in 1917 to the directorship of the observatory here, the scientific world has had its attention drawn to the splendid work which Dr. Plaskett has been accomplishing in astronomical research. Just a few days ago he disclosed through a paper which he read before the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the startling fact that the world and the system to which it belongs is racing through space at an estimated speed of 720,000 miles an hour, about two thousand times faster than the Schneider Cup recordholder's 356 miles an hour. Victoria had occasion then to feel a keen sense of pride in the contribution which one of her most distinguished citizens was making to the world's sum of knowledge, and fellow-townsmen and fellow-Canadians will hasten to express their congratulations that

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Continuation of Cold Forecast At Observatory

The minimum temperature attained yesterday was 22 degrees, ranging to a maximum of 30 degrees, as recorded on the instruments at Gonzales Observatory. Probably several degrees more frost was experienced at lower levels. The reading at the observatory at 9 o'clock was 26 degrees.

While Victoria has been favored with bright sunshine, averaging eight hours per day for the last four days, snow has visited many cities to the north, east and south, and even the Sacramento Valley has experienced a snowstorm, while the mantle of white has again covered Portland streets.

No alteration is forecast by Mr. F. Napier Denison, superintendent of the observatory, as a disturbing atmospheric condition in the Far North will later doubtless influence conditions in Victoria, as did the last cold wave which reached this city on January 5 and has not yet relaxed its hold of the community, after a grip of nine days.

To Be Prominent at Naval Parley



RT. HON. A. V. ALEXANDER
First Lord of the British Admiralty, who will be a prominent figure at the forthcoming Five-Power Naval Conference in London.

MAYORALTY OF NANAIMO WILL BE CONTESTED

Dr. G. A. B. Hall and Mr. F. S. Cunliffe Nominated for Position of Chief Citizen of City

ACCLAMATION ONLY FOR COMMISSIONER

NANAIMO, Jan. 13.—Civic nominations for Nanaimo were held today and from the list of those nominated a contest was assured for the Mayoralty, Council Board and School Trustees, the only acclamation being that of Mr. A. G. Welch for police commissioner. Dr. G. A. B. Hall was nominated for Mayor by Mr. John McGuickie and Mrs. Elizabeth Barnard, Mr. F. S. Cunliffe's nomination being signed by Mr. F. A. Busby and Mr. R. H. Osmond.

ALDERMANIC VACANCIES

For aldermen six are to be elected. There are fourteen candidates for the honors: Mr. Samuel Drake, Ald. Joseph Dixon, Ald. M. C. Ironside, Ald. William Hart, Messrs. J. R. McKinnell, P. R. Inkster, M. A. E. Planta, F. J. Stannard, James Green, W. W. R. Mitchell, E. G. Cavalsky, J. K. Hickman and Ald. John Barsby.

For school trustees there are five candidates for four positions, the candidates being: Mrs. Annie Jessie Mercer, Mr. James Green, Mr. F. A. Busby, Mrs. Eliza Barnard and Mr. J. C. Dakin. Retiring from the school board are Mrs. Barnard, Mrs. Mercer, Mr. Busby and Mr. Dakin. The trustees are to be elected for a term of two years.

Polling day will be Thursday next, the polls opening at 8 a.m. and closing at 8 p.m. Mr. Harold Hackwood is returning officer.

FIVE PERSONS ARE KILLED BY SHARKS

CAPETOWN, S.A., Jan. 13.—A message from Port Louis, in the Island of Mauritius, reported today that five persons had been killed by sharks in the Bay of Tamorine, after their motorboat capsized in a squall.

The five were members of a party of six engaged in shark fishing.

Reeveship Contest in Saanich

Points From the Speeches

REEVE CROUCH
(At Royal Oak last evening)

"Paying as you go would mean a considerable increase in the Saanich mill rate."

"For my own part, it is too bad we cannot finance without liquor profits and pari-mutuel bonuses."

"The man I want to see get relief is the small landowner."

MR. F. V. HOBBS
(At Keating last evening)

"Up to the present we have been altogether too 'ward-minded' in Saanich."

"There is a marked lack of harmony and co-operation on the council at the present time. With the reeve backed by three councillors and opposed by four, the result has been a house divided against itself."

"I am strongly in favor of a tax upon improvements, but I am convinced that the word 'improvements' should be redefined and made to apply to dwellings."

SEE FRENCH DEMANDS AS DIFFICULTY

London Press Warns People Not to Expect Too Much of Conference as Having Quick Results

VIEW DIFFERENCES AS PROBABLE SNAG

British Government Not Willing to Commit Country to Mediterranean Pact in Present State

By THOMAS T. CHAMPION
Canadian Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Although there was no great amount of comment forthcoming today on the British reply to the French note on naval policy the general point appearing to strike commentators is the British reference to public expectation being disappointed if nothing substantial is achieved at the Naval Disarmament Conference which opens in London, January 21, after the nations between themselves assented to the covenant of the League of Nations, the Pacific Four-Power agreement, the Locarno Pact, the Optional Clause and the Pact of Paris.

"The outstanding fact is that Great Britain and the United States are virtually in agreement beforehand as to the joint task of limiting naval armaments," declares The Daily News. "That fact alone should make it impossible for the conference to end in another dangerous fiasco, but let us not blind ourselves to the certainty that our highest expectations will not be realized without prolonged negotiations, and the exercise of statesmanship of the first order. It may be taken for granted submarines will not be abolished this year at the one stroke, but it should be possible to find a formula which will induce France to agree to limitations."

FRENCH MEMORANDUM

The Manchester Guardian remarks that the French memorandum seemed to argue that unless disarmament could be tackled as a whole on land and sea, it could not be tackled at all.

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AUDIT MADE OF ACCOUNTS OF BROKERS

Winnipeg Firms Have Commenced Examination of Books of Brokers Now Under Serious Charge

TO APPEAR TODAY IN POLICE COURT

WINNIPEG, Jan. 13.—Manitoba's Government today joined with Alberta in probing the actions of stock brokerage firms taken by Western Legislatures.

Auditors at Winnipeg commenced examination of the books of Solloway, Mills & Co., Ltd., and of Stobie, Forlong & Matthews, Ltd. No charges have been laid by the Manitoba Department of the Attorney-General which initiated the Winnipeg audit.

Meanwhile Mr. Isaac W. C. Solloway and Mr. Harvey Mills, president and vice-president of Solloway, Mills & Co., Ltd., were en route to Calgary to face Alberta Government charges of conspiring to do "civil wrong" to divers citizens.

EXCHANGE NOT EQUIPPED

Mr. Mills, passing through Winnipeg today under police escort, doubted that the case would ever have to come up if the Calgary Exchange had proper facilities for handling its business.

Planning to leave Vancouver for Calgary tonight Mr. Solloway sought to organize his company's resources, saying that he did not intend that "an irresponsible act of the Alberta Government should be allowed to cause tremendous losses and suffering to the public of Canada."

Some observers interpreted the Solloway, Mills & Co., Ltd. situation as exercising a slightly depressing effect on oil stocks at Calgary and Vancouver. When the two Solloway, Mills executives are arraigned in police court at Calgary on Wednesday morning it is expected that the

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IMMIGRATION TO DOMINION LOWER

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—Immigration to Canada in the first eight months of the current fiscal year—from April 1 to November 30, 1929—totaled 136,440, a decrease of 2,158, when compared with the corresponding period of 1928. Of the total 56,761 were British, 24,836 from the United States, 24,230 from Northwestern Europe and 29,613 of other races.

SIX MEN KILLED

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 13.—Six men were killed late today in a gas explosion in the Peerless-Casaba Coal Company's mine at Straven, which is forty miles from here.



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Pink Salmon, 3 tins	25c	Fresh-Ground Coffee, per lb.	39c
Green Cut Beans, 2 tins	29c	Oxo Cubes, large tins	21c
Clark's Ketchup, large bottles, each	17c	Fry's Cocoa, ½-lb. tins	24c
Rogers' Syrup, 5-lb. tins	39c	Heinz Olive Oil, large bottles	47c

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"That is an untenable doctrine since something was achieved at Washington, something more had been provisionally agreed between Great Britain and the United States, and something more was actually proposed by France in 1928," the newspaper says. "The British note says the Government will make proposals involving very considerable reduction in all categories. That at present is most hopeful. Indeed it is the only practicable method."

PACT OF PARIS

Rt. Hon. H. V. Alexander's critics say the pact of Paris is not an instrument of security, and in reply to the critics, The Chronicle says: "It is the bounden duty of all honest signatories to make it into an instrument of security and the only way to do that is to act on the principle that has been strong enough to bring the United States and Great Britain into line."

The Yorkshire Post, acknowledging the British Government can only argue that the best approach to an ideal of general disarmament is to be made by attacking the problem in general, says:

"Great Britain in truth is hoping almost as much from the psychological effects of the conference as from the actual results. The value of the Kellogg Pact may be summoned as a definite statement of a point of view which has grown up between two nations."

MEDITERRANEAN PACT

By CONSTANTINE BROWN

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LONDON, Jan. 13.—Great Britain's reply to the recent French memorandum questioning the use of the Kellogg Anti-War Pact for guidance in the coming Naval Arms Conference and seeking a four-power Mediterranean security agreement, is characteristic of Prime Minister MacDonald's present frame of mind—an endeavor to please and pacify all the conferees.

Most essential in the British note is the paragraph dealing with the proposed Mediterranean Pact, including Great Britain, Italy, France and Spain. Mr. MacDonald points out that the various peace pacts signed by the principal powers since 1921 should really afford a sufficient guaranty for France's security, but that all the same he is willing to discuss the matter with the French delegation.

Although the British reply was drafted with the consent of the entire Cabinet, I understand that not a single member of the Government was willing to commit Great Britain regarding the pact which the French appear to think essential for their security.

Britain's principal objection seems to be that while a Mediterranean pact would give a feeling of security to the French and Italians, also it would increase Britain's commitments in the Mediterranean without giving in return any security in the English Channel and the North Sea.

Under these conditions, especially if no agreement can be reached in regard to abolition of submarines, the British Cabinet, following the advice of the Admiralty, is strongly opposed to increasing British pledges in the Mediterranean.

THOUGHT STEP FORWARD

By PAUL SCOTT MOWRER

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PARIS, Jan. 13.—The British reply to the French memorandum on naval disarmament is favorably received by inside circles here. In a sense, despite its careful wording and slightly cold tone, this document is sensational.

In it Great Britain agrees to discuss a possible Mediterranean agreement with the powers concerned—France, Italy and Spain—and above all agrees to negotiate naval tonnage figures on the basis of the so-called French compromise, which under certain circumstances permits the shifting of the tonnage allotment from one category to another.

As it is precisely a Mediterranean agreement and the French compromise tonnage plan which at present offers the best hopes of final success of the impending Naval Arms Conference in London, the British reply is interpreted as a considerable step forward. It is especially noteworthy that although the United States has twice publicly accepted the French compromise plan, Great Britain never before has done so.

BRITAIN UNENTHUSIASTIC

Regarding a possible Mediterranean agreement, while Great Britain seems unenthusiastic, it is considered here that this reluctance is not important, for the negotiations are still in the preliminary stages and Great Britain doubtless would like to know what it will receive in return before agreeing to the Mediterranean Pact which France wants.

There is, of course, no question now, and there never has been, of the United States signing a Mediterranean pact which concerns only Great Britain, France, Italy and Spain.

ITALY STANDS FIRM

ROME, Jan. 13.—Italy is adamant in insisting on naval parity with France, says Foglio d'Ordini, the order sheet of the Fascist party, issued this afternoon, and only because of her present economic condition renounces demands of parity with Great Britain.

The document, which is of unusual vigor, declares that even if the London Conference goes on the rocks because of that insistence, such eventually would leave Italians perfectly at ease.

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New Zealand and South Africa, out of this discussion.

"Our next step is with the non-self-governing colonies—Like Tanganyika, Kenya and Malaya—which can be called our 'Empire in trust.' It numbers 50,000,000 people. In 1927 it imported $1,260,000,000 worth of merchandise. These imports are growing so rapidly that these non-self-governing colonies will be purchasing $3,750,000,000 worth of merchandise annually in ten years' time.

DEVELOPING COLONIES

"In 1927 the total exports of Great Britain were valued at $3,580,000,000. If we erect a protective tariff wall with these colonies, we will not only provide them with an assured market for their primary products in Great Britain, but we will also provide them with security and assurance and give capital sufficient security for their future development. Their development is our development. As we increase their purchasing capacity and raise their standard of life, we automatically increase orders to Britain's factories.

"Once that progress gets steadily on its way the self-governing dominions, such as Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa, will wish to come in as partners. There is a straight road dead ahead of us."

Discussing the necessity of re-adjusting the tariff walls between Great Britain and its self-governing Dominions and the remainder of the world, Lord Beaverbrook cited the fact that in 1929, Canada's wheat exports to Great Britain were virtually destroyed and driven off the market by cheap Argentine wheat, subsidized wheat from East Prussia and subsidized flour from France. France actually exported wheat to Britain, selling it for $3 less per quarter (eight bushels, or quarter of ton) than the cost at which the British farmer could produce it.

Great Britain, said Lord Beaverbrook, was the only market capable of absorbing the Canadian wheat surplus, and here was an obvious case of benefit from the Empire free trade protection. In return, Canada could give Great Britain a sheltered market in coal and structural steel and steel sheets—not one ton of the last two items being manufactured inside that Dominion.

FREE TRADE WALL

Thanks to Great Britain's erection of an Empire free trade wall against foreign wheat, thus assuring the Canadian farmer of a dependable market, Canada would find it economically advantageous to give Britain a decided preference in her annual $346,000,000 imports of iron and steel machinery, of which Britain now supplies only about $20,000,000 worth, the publisher contended.

Great Britain already enjoys a preferential tariff on most of these articles, but the fact that British manufacturers realize the necessity further to organize on a basis of mass production and thus be better able to compete against world prices, was clearly pointed out in a speech by Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, Lord Privy Seal and also special Minister for Unemployment. Speaking in Manchester on Friday, Mr. Thomas revealed that he had the authority from the Bank of England and five of the biggest private English banks to declare that financial London was vitally interested in extending large credits to certain industries for "fundamental reorganization and modernization in order that they may be able to produce at prices to compete with the rest of the world."

Mr. Thomas' statement voices a striking departure from the age-old British banking custom of securing the best return from the clients' money, no matter in which country is is invested. England is re-organizing industrially so as to compete on an equal basis with countries such as the United States, for trade with its own Dominions.

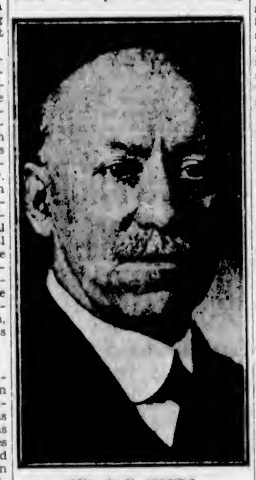
Such a programme is a long-distance venture, involving even a change in mentality in both the British manufacturers and workers, to say nothing of sales methods. Meantime, "Empire free trade" promises to rival unemployment at the battle of the polls.

MR. F. V. HOBBS TELLS POLICY TO RATEPAYERS

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to see this state of affairs than I am. I would point out, however, that the present condition of Saanich finances are not by any means entirely attributable to the reeve.

"The people of Saanich have paid taxes which provided the sinking



MR. F. V. HOBBS

equitable policy on the council. During my chairmanship there has been harmony on the school board, although this important body has not always received the support from funds and the interest for the debts, and the fact that these debts are now in a position to be paid is neither more nor less than the natural and logical sequence of events.

LACK OF HARMONY

"Reeve Crouch is not leaving a satisfied and contented people at the end of his third year of office, as is evidenced by the recent demand for secession. There is a marked lack of harmony and co-operation on the council at the present time. With the reeve backed by three councillors and opposed by four, the result has been a house divided against itself, with no constructive policy and a succession of stalemates.

"I am asking your suffrage in order to see whether we cannot arrive at some straightforward and the council which it had the right to expect."

HIGH SCHOOL POLICY

In speaking of the overtures made by the school trustees to the council upon the high school problems of Saanich, Mr. Hobbs continued: "We found ourselves blocked at every turn and were finally thrown back upon our own resources, which were to provide temporary accommodation at Tolmie School.

"It was thought, in all fairness to the residents in the outer wards, that we should build another school at the northern end of the municipality. The fact that the trustees have been elected by acclamation is surely a vote of confidence on the part of the people of Saanich, and an indication of their conviction that we could not have done better in the circumstances."

"Had the council been in debt it might have had some justification for refusing its support. But to leave a surplus, as reported by the reeve, after having turned a deaf ear to the demands of a board whose members have held some fifty meetings with no remuneration whatsoever, argues a lack of cohesion among the members of the council.

TOO WARD-MINDED

"The Municipality of Saanich should be strongly bound together if anything is to be accomplished. A great deal of money was spent over the secession question by people who were fighting for their rights. This is ridiculous, since money should be spent upon righting those wrongs by the same kind of united action which has made the British Empire what it is and which brought about Confederation in Canada.

"Up to the present we have been altogether too 'ward-minded' in Saanich. My eight years upon the school board, working for Saanich as a whole, has imbued me very strongly with the idea that we should try to adopt a give-and-take policy, and, if I am elected, I shall strive for the benefit of the municipality as one corporate body. I have been here many years and have spent thousands of dollars in taxes, and I am convinced that each ward should be prepared to give as well as to take.

TEAM WORK NEEDED

"We badly need team work in Saanich, with a sense of justice and fair play to everybody. We should get a fairer spread of revenue throughout all the wards, at the same time trying to get the public to bear its fair share of the administration.

"I feel that action is desirable in the matter of the Elk Lake watershed. If I become reeve I will endeavor to preserve friendly relations with the City of Victoria, but I feel that a part of this district should be reserved for park purposes, and that part should be sold and placed upon a tax-paying basis. In any case, we should realize that our population is steadily increasing and should put land aside for parks and school purposes.

"I will endeavor to keep up the condition of the roads, and, in this connection I would say that I strongly believe in a 'pay as you go system' in so far as is possible."

TAXES ON IMPROVEMENTS

In answer to a question put to him at Royal Oak, Mr. Hobbs stated "I am strongly in favor of a tax upon improvements, but I am convinced that the word 'improvements' should be redefined and made to apply to dwellings. It seems unfair that a man should carve several acres out of the bush and then be made to pay for them.

"In conclusion I should like to point out that the time has come for a change, and, if you agree with me, I am at your service. If I am elected, I shall not pit one ward against the other, but shall adopt as my policy: Fair play for all, and a straightforward endeavor to do the right thing, for no better reason than that it is the right thing."

Mrs. E. Hinchliffe, wife of Captain Hinchliffe, who was lost with the Hon. Elsie Mackay in an attempt to fly the Atlantic in 1928, is applying to the English courts to have her present state of presumed widowhood legally established.

Germany has 2,840,000 radio fans paying monthly fees to the Government.

DR. PLASKETT IS AWARDED GOLD MEDAL

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still another notable honor has now been conferred on Dr. Plaskett.

ESTABLISHED 1824

The gold medal of the Royal Astronomical Society was established in 1824, and has been awarded nearly every year since then to some distinguished astronomer or man of science. The first recipient was Charles Babbage, who invented the first computing machine. The recipient in 1929 was Einar Hertzsprung, for his work in connection with astronomical photography, radial velocities, the sun's motion, and other outstanding researches. Among the well-known men who have received the award are Einstein (1926), Henri Poincare (an astronomer brother of the late Premier Poincare), J. C. Kapteyn, all foreigners; Sir Frank Dyson (Astronomer Royal, England), Prof. Eddington, Sir James H. Jeans and Sampson (Astronomer Royal, Scotland), all British, and the following Americans: G. E. Hale (director of the Mount Wilson Observatory), Dr. Campbell (formerly head of the Lick Observatory, now president of California University), W. S. Adams (director of the Mount Wilson Observatory), and Frank Schlesinger (of Yale Observatory).

The award is made by the executive committee of the Royal Astronomical Society after a careful world survey of the work being done in astronomy, physics, mathematics and other related sciences, and as the society has its finger almost constantly on the pulse of thought along these lines, it is a sine qua non that the man selected is genuinely outstanding in his special field.

The George Darwin lecture, which Dr. Plaskett has consented to give in May next in London, is a contemporaneous part of the gold medal award, although its delivery does not always synchronize with the presentation of the medal, as it will in this instance, for the simple reason that Dr. Plaskett will be in England for only a limited time. He is due to speak at a special meeting of the American Philosophical Society (founded by Benjamin Franklin) in April, and will proceed thence to London. At the former meeting he will give one of four papers covering recent advances in astronomy, his own subject to be "The Structure and Rotation of the Earth." Other papers will be by E. W. Brown, on "The Rotation of the Earth"; "Other Galaxies Than Ours," by Harlow Shapley, and on "The Physics of the Stars," the speaker still to be chosen.

WITNESSED PRESENTATION

Only once has Dr. Plaskett witnessed the presentation of the gold medal, this being in 1925, when Sir Frank Dyson, the Astronomer Royal at Greenwich, received the award. A certain routine is followed in connection with this, the president of the society, before making the presentation, always reviewing the recipient's achievements to explain to the members the grounds on which the award is made.

The George Darwin lecture will be made, following traditional custom, at an afternoon meeting of the society in its rooms, and from there the members go on to the Piccadilly Restaurant to dine. Mrs. Plaskett and Miss Cannon, a noted woman astronomer who is among the distinguished people who have visited the Dominion astrophysical observatory here, were the first ladies ever entertained as guests at this select dinner, Miss Cannon's presence being made almost imperative from the fact that she had just that day been singled out for some distinction by the society.

Dr. Plaskett, the latest recipient of the Royal Astronomical Society's gold medal, was born near Woodstock, Ontario, attended the Collegiate Institute there, then Toronto University. He then joined the staff of the Dominion Observatory, Ottawa, as astronomer, and from there was appointed, in 1917, director of the Dominion astrophysical observatory, Victoria. Through his own splendid contributions to science and the very fine work which has been done here, the seventy-two-inch telescope and the observatory, of which it is an integral part, have become world-famous. Although the selection of Little Saanich Mountain as the site of the observatory was determined by Dr. King, of Ottawa, on the strength of observations made at Medicine Hat, Banff, Penticton and Victoria, in 1913, by Mr. W. E. Harper, Dr. Plaskett was responsible for the conception of the telescope and much of its design.

DRAWN BY OBSERVATORY

Among the noted men of science who have been drawn here solely by their interest in the astrophysical observatory, are: Dr. W. W. Campbell, Professor Wright and Professor Aitken, of the Lick Observatory; Dr. Adams, Major Hubbell and other members of the Mount Wilson Observatory; Dr. F. A. Mitchell, of McCormick Observatory, Virginia; Professor Russell and Professor Bugan, of Princeton University; Professor Eddington, Sir William Bragg, Sir Charles Parsons, and other members of the British Association, who came out to the Coast after the meeting of the British Association in Toronto five years ago.

In addition to his B.A. degree from Toronto, Dr. Plaskett is a D.Sc. of Pittsburgh and Toronto, LL.D of University of British Columbia, a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, and a Fellow of the Royal Society, London. His son, Mr. Harry Plaskett, is also a brilliant astoronomer, and at present holds the position of associate professor of astrophysics at Harvard.

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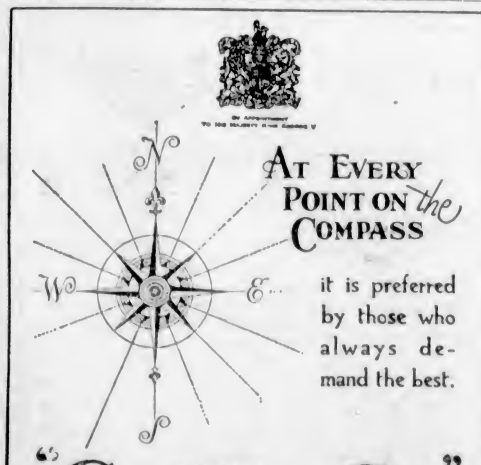
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OFFICERS ARE TO BE INSTALLED

Lodge Pride of the Island, Sons of England Benefit Society, will hold the first meeting of 1930 tonight at the Sons of England Hall, Broad Street. The main feature will be the dignified ceremonial of installation of the new officers elected at the general meeting in December last. District Deputy Bro. E. Simpson, as representative of the Grand Lodge, will officiate, and it is expected that at 7:30 o'clock a large attendance of members will be present to make a proper setting. The officers-elect are looking forward to a great revival of the "lodge spirit" this year, and, judging by the last three months' enthusiasm in all social events, a notable forward movement is undoubtedly before the lodge.



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MR. BURTON IS ELECTED HEAD OF GYRO CLUB

Young Business Man Becomes President by Acclamation — Mr. W. C. Hudson Vice-President

REPORT REVEALS LAUDABLE WORK

Mr. Frank Burton, a prominent young business man of Victoria, was last night elected by acclamation as head of the Gyro Club for the year 1930, succeeding Mr. Harry B. Dawson as president of the organization.

Mr. William C. Hudson was the choice for the position of vice-president, and Mr. Sidney J. Chiverall was named secretary. Mr. A. L. Oakley was selected for the post of treasurer. The five directors elected were Messrs. Louis Glazen, Roy Manzer, John L. Clay, Oliver M. Prentice and Bert. Sibbald.

The above officials were appointed at the annual meeting of the Gyro Club, which was held in the Empress Hotel.

President-Elect Burton and the new board will be installed next Monday night at a supper meeting in the Empress Hotel at 6:30 o'clock. It is likely that Major Cuthbert Holmes, a former president, will be the installing officer.

A recommendation was made by the meeting to the new directorate that it name a special committee to deal with matters relating to boys' work.

ANNUAL REPORT

Mr. Harry B. Dawson, the retiring president, in the annual report, referred to a number of the Gyro Club's principal activities during the year 1929. One of the most successful efforts of the organization from a community standpoint, was its "Use Your Vote" campaign in connection with the recent civic election, which was very ably handled under a committee headed by Gyro G. A. A. Hebden, a member of the school board.

"We formed a committee," he stated, "to help in connection with getting out the vote for the Technical School By-law early last year. Our efforts in this respect were not crowned with success, but we feel we did not do our work in vain, and owing to voluntary subscriptions, no expense was attached to the club."

The Gyros helped the Children's Aid Society by financial assistance in providing certain necessary repairs ot its permanent Summer camp. A team of Gyros, under the leadership of Mr. Bert Sibbald, assisted considerably in the campaign for funds for the Institute of the Blind.

BIGGEST EVENT

Mr. Dawson declared that the biggest event of the Gyro Club in the past year was the presentation of the show, "Keep 'Em Smiling," under the direction of Miss Mabelle Slick and a very capable committee of Gyros under Mr. Louis Glazen. This production was responsible for net earnings of over $1,000.

"The collection of Christmas gifts and distribution of same to the Orphanage and the Children's Aid Society, under Mr. Arthur Christopher, was a great credit to the club," he said.

A joint picnic of the Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo Gyro Clubs at Rathrever Beach, Vancouver Island, an inter-club golf tourney between members of the Vancouver and Victoria Gyros, and the holding of a successful matinee at the Coliseum Theatre were other events with which the local clubmen were associated during the past year.

CO-OPERATION GIVEN

Mr. Drawson tendered his hearty thanks to the directors and members for their hearty co-operation during 1929 in promoting the welfare of Gyro in Victoria.

Reports of the work of the various standing committees were presented to the meeting by the following chairmen: Dr. Charles Mess, social committee; Mr. Arnold W. Trevett, luncheons; Mr. Alex Straith, sports; Mr. G. A. A. Hebden, civic affairs; Mr. Roy Manzer, membership; Mr. Charles Graham, attendance; Mr. Bert Sibbald, sergeant-at-arms; and Mr. Jack Jones, Gyrotoria.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the retiring officers for their efficient administration during the past year.

Veterans' Column

By A VETERAN

VETERANS OF FRANCE

The executive of the Veterans of France will meet in the club rooms, Douglas Street, Tuesday, at 8 o'clock. The annual meeting for the election of officers will be held on Thursday at the same hour. A full attendance is requested.

ARMY AND NAVY

The general meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, Victoria Unit No. 12, will be held in the club rooms, 812 Fort Street, Thursday, at 8:30 o'clock.

BRITANNIA BRANCH

The annual dinner of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will be held at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, Friday, commencing at 7 o'clock.

A GOOD EXAMPLE

A country laborer was endeavoring to explain to several companions the meaning of the word "phenomenon."

"It's like this, mates," he began. "Now, you see that field o' thistles? Well, that's no phenomenon."

"No."

"But suppose you were to see a lark singing above it, that wouldn't be a phenomenon either."

"No?"

"Well, even if there was a bull in the field at the same time, that wouldn't be a phenomenon, you see, mates."

"Er—yes," came the chorus even more doubtfully than before.

"But if you saw that bull sittin' on a thistle singing' like a lark—well, mates, that would be a phenomenon."

THEFT ADMITTED OF DIAMOND RING

Taken While Visiting Girl Friend—Remanded for Sentence in City Police Court

In the city police court, yesterday, William E. Wells, pleaded guilty before Magistrate George Jay to the theft of a diamond ring from Mrs. H. Hatton, and was remanded until today for sentence.

Deputy Chief of Police Harry J. O'Leary told the court that the accused visited a girl friend who was boarding at the home of Mrs. Hatton. The ring had been lying on a table and was missing when he left the place. Later it was sold to a secondhand store on Johnson Street. Mrs. Hatton, who went to this store to buy a ring, was shown her own ring and identified it.

H. Beaveridge was further remanded to January 17, and E. T. C. Antisell, charged with being intoxicated in a public place, was remanded to today.

ARE CHOSEN BY ACCLAMATION

FOUR 1929 MEMBERS OF SAANICH COUNCIL RETURNED UNOPPOSED

Contests Assured for Reeveship, Three Council Seats and Police Board

The re-election of Mr. William Crouch as reeve of Saanich is being opposed by Mr. F. V. Hobbs, late chairman of the school board. The official nominations made yesterday to Returning Officer R. R. F. Sewell occasioned little surprise.

Four of the council members, Messrs. F. Borden, H. C. Oldfield, L. C. Hagan and G. S. Eden, are given unopposed returns.

Mr. H. L. Briggs succeeds to the trustee seat held by Mr. Hobbs.

Mr. C. E. King's term as police commissioner having expired he is again a candidate, being opposed by Mr. F. Cawsey.

FOR REEVE

*CROUCH, WILLIAM, 244 Gorge Road. Proposed by Rev. M. W. J. Bruce and Lieut.-Co. J. Scrogie, also Edwin Tomlin, J. A. Dewar and Samuel Howard, D.D.

HOBBS, FRANK VICKER, Cadboro Bay, merchant. Proposed by H. M. Diggon and Edith M. Mason.

FOR COUNCILLORS

Ward One

*BORDEN, FRED, Borden Street, farmer. Proposed by G. E. Davidson and J. A. Hallier.

Ward Two

CROWHURST, FREDERICK JAMES, 3264 Alder Street, insurance agent, proposed by Howard Taylor and James H. Beatty.

HOARE, DENNIS, 3247 Douglas Street, shoemaker. Proposed by Robert Keir and Ted Hawkes.

Ward Three

*WATSON, GEORGE FRASER, Ash Road, Gordon Head, retired. Proposed by G. A. Vantreight and Walter Paterson.

†STUBBS, WILLIAM, Ralph Street, horticulturist. Proposed by H. S. Thain and Robert Peters.

Ward Four

LYNN, WILLIAM JOHN, Glanford Avenue, farmer. Proposed by F. F. Beckett and Ernest Salmon.

WILLIAMS, CHARLES HERMAN Colquitz, dairyman. Proposed by W T. Lavender and George A. Jones.

WOODS, WILLIAM RICHARD, Glanford Avenue, cashier. Proposed by A. Henderson and James O'Connell.

Ward Five

*OLDFIELD, HENRY CLARENCE, Elk Lake, farmer. Proposed by G. A. Robinson and S. E. Vantreight.

Ward Six

*HAGAN, LAWRENCE CHRISTOPHER, West Saanich Road, farmer. Proposed by John Watts and David Thomson.

Ward Seven

*EDEN, GEORGE STANLEY, 3115 Wascana Street, bookkeeper. Proposed by William Tomes and F. E. Boulter.

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES

BRIGGS, HUGH LEWIS, Glanford Avenue, salesman. Proposed by Mrs. J. McN. Beckett and James Maynard.

*BROOKS, JOHN LEMUEL, Saanichton, farmer. Proposed by F. Borden and F. V. Hobbs.

*JEUNE, WALTER P., 3256 Rutledge Street, salesman. Proposed by Percy Scutt and Harold M. Diggon.

POLICE COMMISSION

CAWSEY, FREDERICK, 3071 Wascana Street, steward. Proposed by J. S. Newbury and F. W. Harrison.

*KING, CHARLES EDWARD, Cedar Hill Crossroad, dairy farmer. Proposed by George R. Hunter and F. N. Borden.

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INCIDENT OCCURS AT SHAWNIGAN

Skating has become the favorite pastime. Continuation of low temperatures, accompanied by invigorating weather conditions and bright sunshine several hours daily, have made the sport pre-eminent in popularity, combined now with security.

To prevent any untoward incident, however, city and Saanich authorities have posted men with long ladders and rope at the dangerous places. Beacon Hill Park lake is being watched, and was thronged with large crowds on Sunday, in some periods as many as 200 people being accommodated.

TWO POPULAR CENTRES

Popular as this central location is, it was outrivaled on Sunday by Portage Inlet and Swan Lake, where several hundred people visited for varying periods during the day. In both cases the Saanich police have posted men with ladders and rope ready for any emergency. Swan Lake, on account of its depth, is considered more dangerous in case of a fracture of the ice.

Swan Lake proved a particularly favorable place for skating. There were several hundred skaters at different periods, ice hockey being the principal pastime enjoyed. Camp fires were lighted, and some had brought their Thermos bottles and lunch kits. Numerous cars lined Saanich Road, bringing skaters from city and country alike.

Beaver Lake was favored by about 200 skaters, but they are denied the use of Elk Lake, which has not been suitable for ice formation owing to the winds of last week.

About 150 were out at Rogers' pond, Lake Road, on Sunday, with conditions not so good yesterday, as a consequence of which it was decided to get rid of the bumpy character of the ice by flooding it last evening, this course being carried out by the Saanich waterworks department. The ice should be in good shape this morning.

INCIDENT AT SHAWNIGAN

Skating was very general on Shawnigan Lake on Sunday, as it was during the other days of this continued cold snap. It was, however, not unattended with its mishaps, and at least two of the skaters on Sunday afternoon, a gentleman and a lady, had the misfortune to reach a spot which was unsafe, and were plunged into the water.

Fortunately the water was not deep at that point, and they were lucky enough to escape with nothing worse than a chilly bath.

Mr. F. Napier Denison, superintendent of Gonzales Observatory, anticipates that the ice conditions will not be disturbed by any change of temperature in the near future.

BRITANNIA BRANCH TO HOLD BANQUET

Fifth Annual Dinner to Be Held at Chamber of Commerce—Comrade Sheret Heads Committee

The fifth annual dinner and banquet of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will be held in the Chamber of Commerce on Friday, January 17, at 7 p.m., according to the announcement made last night by officials of the club.

Final arrangements were made for the affair at a special meeting of the committee held recently. Each member is privileged to bring a member or any member of his family. Tickets for the occasion are going rapidly and a large crowd, including the Lieutenant-Governor nd Miss Helen McKenzie, are expected to be present.

The committee, which is in charge f Comrade Dave Sheret, is composed of Messrs. Jack Blair and Tom Dempster. The above trio has been working hard to make the affair a success. Tickets can be secured by applying at the secretary's office, in the branch's headquarters in the Fairbanks-Morse Building, or from the stewards of the branch.

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Tuesday, January 14, 1930

NEWS VALUES

The running of a newspaper is, and always must remain, an experimental art. There is no such thing as the perfect newspaper, and there never will be. Any group of individuals assembled to conduct such an enterprise have a task which covers practically every human interest and it is impossible, therefore, that they should be able to cope with it perfectly. In the main there are certain imprescriptible doctrines laid down on the subject of what is news. Primarily, news is what happens, and, the more unexpected, the greater its import and the wider interest it arouses. News of the first class is constituted by such events as war and the phenomena of happenings such as earthquake, famine, plague, murder, fire, shipwreck and sudden death. The greatest of all news is often the most distressing. Millions will read with supreme interest of a Titanic disaster where only a few score will concern themselves over the deliberations of the League of Nations. The story of the tragic death of Captain Robert Scott and his companions in the Antarctic waste touched the heartstrings of all humanity, whereas the discussions of many national conferences hardly create a ripple of interest beyond the circle of the immediate participants.

The danger in newspaper work is in losing the perspective of news values. This is the failing that more than anything else leads to a newspaper losing its grip on the popular imagination. Nowadays there is a tendency, especially among the newspapers on this continent, to give undue prominence to the spoken word, irrespective altogether of whether or not there is any originality displayed. These are days of clubs and organizations and mutual admiration societies, fashioned so that mankind can become more and more gregarious. They are given an altogether undue prominence in the press for the fact is that in nine cases out of ten their doings and sayings are of interest to themselves alone. The press was never meant to be the mouthpiece of localized sinn feinism. It has a bigger task to accomplish than that of propaganda for groups of individuals. It should be, more than anything else, the recorder of events, the annalist of contemporary history and the mirror in which the happenings of the time are shown to its readers.

Newspapers grow in dullness the more they overbalance their columns with comment and expressions of opinion from a variety of sources. It is quite a different matter where official pronouncements are concerned. These constitute news and are not mere expressions of pious hopes or speculative philosophy. Nine-tenths of the comment run in newspapers is valueless. It is too often in the form of propaganda with which newspapers in their news columns should never concern themselves. Most of the signed articles which appear in the press are those which deal with comment. They are simply elaborations, according to the writer's fancy, of some happening that has ensued. It is the happening, however, in its naked reality, that constitutes the news. What is written about it in the way of comment by news correspondents simply is composed of what newspaper men themselves regard as "filler-up" stuff. There is a case in point that might be quoted from the news of last week-end. More people are touched by the knowledge that the icy weather, which has gripped such a large portion of the globe, is causing unusual privations and thousands of deaths than are interested in any pronouncement Mahatma Ghandi may make as to the future status of India. It is the things that happen that count in the public imagination, not the mere expressions of opinion as to possible eventualities of the future.

The proper perspective of news values is to place news first; happenings must always come before the clatter of human tongues. The interest in a newspaper is diversified, but, whether on the front page, or in the sporting columns or among the society notes, the main interest centres in what is happening and what people are doing, not what they are saying. It is recognition of this that is the governing factor in the conduct of a successful newspaper. Wherein this is departed from, and the perspective of news values blurred or lost, a publication loses ground in popular esteem. In these days of state education people are able to think for themselves. They can do with 90 per cent less of the vacuous comment which is creeping into the news columns of so many papers.

TAXES FOR EDUCATION

In any scheme for new taxation, or a readjustment of taxation for educational purposes, consideration should be given to provision for the exemption from such taxation of those who are now saving both municipalities and the Provincial Government hundreds of thousands of dollars annually because they pay for their children's education directly at private schools. It is full time that the spread of the private school system in British Columbia obtained official recognition that is long overdue. As matters stand there is a growing section of the community that is heavily overtaxed because it is mulcted for benefits of which it does not avail itself. There is neither logic nor reason in any argument which maintains that an educational tax should fall alike on all. It is a wrong principle in taxation that those who do not benefit should have to pay the piper. It is a principle not recognized where customs and inland revenue are concerned, where the sales tax operates, where liquor control is in force, where a gasoline tax is imposed, where motor car licences are effective. The argument, indeed, might be carried to its logical conclusion to show that there is no tax, save that levied for educational purposes, which falls, incidentally, on a section of the community that voluntarily derives no benefits from its operation.

A government, where state education prevails, should welcome the establishment of private schools. The more there are the more it is relieved from having to add to the burden of taxation, but it is discrimination that those parents who educate their children privately should be called upon to pay for the education of children other than their own. A basic principle of taxation is that it should operate on individuals in proportion to the benefits that it confers. That is not the case with the educational tax. Whatever is done to reform that tax or to change its incidence, some recognition and relief should be given to those who now are bearing a full share of state educational costs, because there is no governmental recognition of the fact that they have relieved the state, of their own volition, of expense in the education of their children.

CRITICS OF NATIONAL SECURITY

A correspondent of The Chicago Daily News asks why France continues to fortify her eastern frontier on the eve of the Five-Power Naval Conference to be held in London. The answer is obviously because of the historic necessity of such safeguards to national security, and, moreover, the coming London Conference is not considering at all the question of land armaments. What France does for her protection on land is exclusively a matter for self-determination by that country. Her people do not labor under those illusions regarding pacifism which are warping the judgment of others where self-defence is concerned. France is in Continental Europe and is better informed about affairs there than her critics.

There is a studied effort to promote the suggestion that if the Five-Power Naval Conference fails France will be to blame. Those responsible for this propaganda must also accept the responsibility of pursuing a course which is productive of hostile thoughts being aroused. Just so long as one nation interferes with the doctrine of self-determination in any other nation, where national security is involved, the cause of peace is not advanced. The dispatches of foreign correspondents that trend to promote disunity at respondents that tend to promote disunity at the forthcoming naval conference must be discounted because of the prejudices underlying them.

The Archbishop of Canterbury in alluding to the Anglo-Soviet diplomatic agreement hopes that the Government in Great Britain "will not be content to obtain commercial advantages without regard to the maintenance of those elementary principles of justice which must be the basis of intercourse among civilized nations." The Primate looks with detestation on the anti-religion policy of the Soviet Government. He wants Great Britain to make a protest against the course being dictated from Moscow. The Bishop of London has voiced his opinion that continued relations with Russia should be on condition that the massacre of Christians and the proscription of all religion should cease.

One of the mandates given to the Conservative Party in British Columbia was to break up the Liberal Machine which had brought politics into such disrepute in this province. The old "instrument" is still functioning, but not in its pristine vigor. It has a foothold in many places where its elimination would promote efficiency in political affairs.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m., January 13, 1930.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Snow	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	--	22	30
Nanaimo	--	--	16	31
Vancouver	--	--	14	30
Kamloops	--	--	12b	2b
Prince George	--	--	18b	14
Estevan Point	--	--	28	38
Prince Rupert	--	--	24	32
Atlin	--	--	20b	6b
Dawson	--	--	30b	28b
Seattle	--	--	20	32
Portland	--	--	18	28
San Francisco	trace	--	40	48
Spokane	--	--	6	22
Los Angeles	--	--	44	54
Penticton	--	--	7	14
Vernon	--	--	7b	8
Grand Forks	--	--	25b	1b
Nelson	--	--	1b	14
Kaslo	--	--	4b	16
Cranbrook	--	--	26b	2b
Calgary	--	.1	0	6
Edmonton	--	.1	0	8
Swift Current	--	--	6b	0
Prince Albert	--	--	2	10
Qu'Appelle	--	--	10b	2
Winnipeg	--	--	16b	4

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong north and east winds; fine and decidedly cold for several days.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Fresh to strong north and east winds on the gulf; fine and decidedly cold for several days.

MONDAY

Maximum	30
Minimum	22
Average	26
Minimum on grass	17

General state of the weather, clear. Bright sunshine, 7 hours 30 minutes.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.86; wind, N.E., 20 miles; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.86; calm; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.14; calm; clear.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.36; wind, N., 20 miles; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.32; wind, E., 4 miles; clear.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.88; wind, N.W., 4 miles; clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.82; wind, E., 20 miles; clear.

Portland—Barometer, 29.76; wind, N.E., 4 miles; clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.82; wind, N.E., 12 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.86; wind, S., 12 miles; raining.

WIELDING THE DISHCLOTH

How many young people of twenty or thirty can remember ever seeing their own fathers wielding dishcloths, asks a London Star writer. The explanation is that the hard-and-fast line which used to be drawn between the respective duties of husband and wife is, with the emancipation of woman, gradually disappearing. With it is going all sham and make-believe. The time is rapidly approaching when people will talk incredulously of the days when the word "wife" was synonymous with "drudge and housekeeper, nurse and cook." When that day comes, and not till then, men will be able to look women in the face because they have given them real equality, in addition to talking about it. In these days we shall see marriage as it should be—the perfect union and comradeship, with neither sex losing anything.

Events of great consequence often spring from trifling circumstances.—Livy.

As we advance in life we learn the limits of our abilities.—J. A. Froude

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

"Manners make the man," Lord Chesterfield was very dogmatic upon that point when he wrote his celebrated letters to his son. But it does not do to be too dogmatic upon any point. His Lordship's manners were superficially perfect, but they did not make a perfect man in the sense that the perfect man must be a good man. A more profound philosopher than Chesterfield who was a far better man although far less a complete man of the world than the historically notorious cynic, said that clothes had a great deal to do with the making of a man. Carlyle created a sensation in the world when he asked what kind of a spectacle the British Parliament would present if its business were conducted by members dressed in what another celebrated author, artist and cartoonist described as "the altogether," meaning, of course, altogether naked.

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Therefore clothes have more to do with the making of an effective, if not a complete, man than manners. Ancient ruling dynasties and even more ancient religious institutions have been established partly upon clothes, or upon something that scoffers, who are ever with us, have called "millinery" and ceremony. The dignity and effectiveness of British courts of justice are due, at least to some considerable extent, to the rule that the judges upon the bench and the lawyers at the bar must upon all occasions be properly dressed. All ceremonials, whether conducted in royal palaces, in the courts of justice, or in the sacred edifices of the nations, depend for their immediate effect and permanent impression on the minds of the common people (and uncommon people for that matter) upon the dignity with which they are conducted, and clothes impart dignity to the men and the occasion of such ceremonies. But of course you cannot dress a manikin in robes as gorgeous as those Solomon is reported to have worn and make a dignified figure of him. Clothes can do wondrous things, but the fact remains "that the man's the man for a' that."

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That is something the dinitaries on the throne, on the bench, at the bar and before the altar, must not forget in the midst of their pageantries, their spectacles and their ceremonies. Intellectual and moral nakedness cannot be concealed by drapery like physical nakedness. That is the point Carlyle sought to develop when he drew a picture of a naked Imperial Parliament.

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If there is something to be said about the moral and material effect of the clothes for men—and we have often been told that we might have gone much farther and fared a great deal better if we had paid more attention to the wherewithal in which we were clothed—there is a great deal more to be said about clothes for women. It is a common habit at the present time to scoff and sneer at the garments our grandmothers and mothers used to wear. We have had occasion to say something at various times about the clothes our granddaughters and daughters and our sisters and our cousins and our aunts have fallen into the habit of wearing.

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But if the mothers and sisters of another generation went to one extreme in the matter of clothes, surely the sisters of the present generation and the mothers of a coming generation have gone to another extreme—that is if we are to concede that beauty tastefully adorned be more attractive than beauty practically without any adornment at all except such as meets the canons of common conventions. We do not take the absurd position that the women of this day in the matter of dress should be subject to the arbitrary decrees of a foreign tribunal—that if some mere man in Paris or anywhere else says skirts should fall a certain number of inches below or above the knee, that all women are denied the right of appeal against that rule and should appear upon our streets upon a certain day with their skirts cut as prescribed by the rules of the arbitrary tribunal.

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We think all women should be as free to select the style and cut of their dresses as they are free to select the men or the women who shall rule over them. We say this not because we are specially interested in the manner women choose to display their charms (having long passed that stage of life), but because slavish adherence to the vagaries of fashion sometimes makes what the women themselves call "a sight" of persons who, if they cut their clothes in accordance with physical requirements, would be just as attractive to the eyes of men (if that is a matter of any importance), and less ridiculous in the eyes of their sister women. For we have heard things said upon the streets (when of course we should not be listening) which convinced us that, however gently women may scan the absurd dress of some men, they are most unmerciful in their judgment upon the dress of their sister women. However, there are some subjects that it is the part of wisdom to discuss with decent reticence.

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Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

FRENCH-CANADIANS IN WAR

Sir,—Figures cannot lie, but frequently reveal only a fraction of the truth. This is especially true of the statistics regarding French-Canadian recruiting during the war. British Columbia is a long way from Quebec, and Victorians may be excused for not being aware of the extraordinary methods adopted at the beginning of the war, ostensibly to invite the French-Canadian to join the army. Calmly reviewing the story at this late date, and abstracting from all personalities, those who know what happened are inclined to feel that a deliberate attempt was made to keep the French-Canadian out of the army; that the comparatively small number of enlistments represents, not the proportionate loyalty of the great Province of Quebec, but the ineptitude of the authorities in charge of recruiting.

Every member of the C.E.F. knows the record of the Royal 22nd Battalion, which still exists as part of the permanent force. French-Canadians who managed to get into the army in spite of all discouragements, held their own with the best. The retiring Adjutant-General of Canada, Major-General H. A Panet, and the present commander of the Canadian Legion, Colonel LaFleche, are typical of the distinguished French-Canadian as the army knows him. A sweeping, critical judgment on such an important body of citizens of the Dominion as the people of Quebec should not be passed without due consideration being given to all the facts of the case.

(Rev.) A. B. WOOD,
Chaplain of the Canadian Militia.
1343 Esquimalt Road, Esquimalt, B.C., January 11, 1930.

WILL NOT REDUCE FISHER LICENCES

Announced From Ottawa No Cut to Be Made in Number of Permits for Commercial Fishing

OTTAWA, Jan 13.—There will be no reduction in the number of licences available to others than whites or native Indians in commercial fishing in British Columbia this year. Together with this announcement here Saturday from Mr. W. A. Found, Deputy Minister of Fisheries, it was made known that returned soldiers of Oriental origin would be placed for licensing purposes on the same basis as others who served overseas.

Prior to the appeal of courts as to the competence of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to refuse licences to any British subjects, licences available to others than white British subjects and native Indians were being reduced 10 per cent per year on the basis of the number issued in 1926. This action was referred by the fisheries committee of the House of Commons. Pending action by the courts further reductions were discontinued.

Last session the Fisheries Act was amended to give the minister the needed authority so that should it be held by the Privy Council that he had not the power under the previous legislation the situation could be controlled. In view of the lateness of the date when the effects of decision were known, it has been decided that for this year the 10 per cent reduction will not apply, but that it will be started again next year.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

THE ACTOR

Two worlds are his, the false, the true;
The first so loved he will pursue
Its phantasms, and forsake real things
For mimicries of serfs and kings,
Will leave real sorrows and real joys
For trafficking in cheats and toys.

And yet, so strange his qualities,
He finds realities in these
Creations of another's mind
And feels their fates, unkind or kind,
With all the force which life could give
To any vital hours men live.

He goes, enmeshed in make-believe,
In fancies, such as children weave,
Till in the end the real things seem
Less vivid than his world of dream;
Upon the stage alone he lives,
And to life's self small heed he gives.

Jots From Geography



THE Island of Tabago, in the West Indies, is reputed to be the isle upon which Robinson Crusoe was wrecked. It is claimed that Defoe had Tobago in mind when the hero of his story was stranded on its shores. The little island has been one of the most fiercely contested bits of ground in the hemisphere, having been constantly disputed by the French, Spanish and English, to whom it belongs

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS IS CONDUCTED

Official Visit by Grand Master and Grand Secretary of Independent Order of Odd Fellows

GRAND MASTER GIVES ADDRESS

On Thursday evening I.O.O.F. Hall, Douglas Street, was crowded with Odd Fellows to witness the joint installation of the officers for the ensuing term of the three subordinate lodges of the order in this city. The installing officer was Bro. J. Davis, D.D.G.M., assisted by Bro. F. Dillabough, Deputy Grand Marshal, and a full staff of acting grand officers. The proceedings were made more interesting by the presence of Bro. E. G. Cavalsky, of Black Diamond Lodge, No. 5, Nanaimo, Grand Master of this jurisdiction, and Bro. E. L. Webber, of Amity Lodge, No. 27, New Westminster, Grand Secretary.

The officers installed are as follows:

Victoria Lodge, No. 1—J. Holyoak, N.G.; F. Landsberg, V.G.; A. McCabe, recording secretary; A. Steer, financial secretary; A. Sedgley, treasurer; J. Tallack, warden; P. Edmonds, conductor; J. Dobbie, P.G., chaplain; W. Paget, P.G., R.S.N.G.; J. Jones, L.S.N.G.; A. Kitto, R.S.V.G.; J. McMillan, L.S.V.G.; E. Coombs, R.S.S.; R. Flint, R.S.S.; J. Banks, I.G.; R. Lawson, O.G.

Columbia Lodge, No. 2—J. F. French, N.G.; P. E. Morley, V.G.; D. Dewar, P.G., recording secretary; T. Burgess, financial secretary; H. W. Adams, P.G., treasurer; C. A. Burgess, warden; J. H. Davis, conductor; W. Johnson, O.G.; A. F. Taylor, I.G.; J. G. Smith, P.G., R.S.N.G.; C. Smith, L.S.N.G.; W. Neild, R.S.V.G.; C. F. Hutchinson, L.S.V.G.; F. W. Moulton, R.S.S.; E. Wade, L.S.S.; C. Hastings, P.G., chaplain.

Dominion Lodge, No. 4—H. Nuttall, N.G. J. D. Bairns, V.G.; P. G. Cudlip, secretary; R. A. Anderson, treasurer; H. Gardiner, warden; H. N. Walls, conductor; J. McKenzie, R.S.N.G.; J. Canby, L.S.N.G.; G. Luscombe, R.S.V.G.; C. J. Lougler, L.S.V.G.; H. Cross, I.G.; George Kirk, O.G.; C. J. Deacon, R.S.S.; F. G. Luscombe, L.S.S.; A. L. Curtis, chaplain.

The ceremony of installation being completed, the Grand Master was called upon, and made a good speech on matters relating to the order and of interest to members, and was applauded as he took his seat.

The Grand Secretary next took the floor and confined his remarks to certain legislation passed by the Sovereign Grand Lodge at its last session, much of which had to be passed on by the Grand Lodges of the various jurisdictions. The information given by the Grand Secretary was just what the members needed, and his address was much appreciated.

After adjournment refreshments were served in the dining hall.

FREIGHT RATES ARE ELIMINATED

Board of Railway Commissioners Cut Out Rates in Vogue on North Arm of Fraser River

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13.—Freight rates, claimed to be anomalies which have heretofore retarded the progress of business on the North Arm of the Fraser River, have been eliminated by the Board of Railway Commissioners, which thus affirmed a previous decision of two of its members.

The appeal of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, supported by the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, to the full board, has been dismissed, according to word received here from Ottawa.

The North Arm of the Fraser River, as a result, has been put in the same category as an industrial field as False Creek, it is stated.

Supported by the city of Vancouver and adjoining municipalities, together with boards of trade of these areas, the North Fraser Harbor Commissioners made an application to the railway board for an order compelling the railways to file joint rates to and from any points on the North Arm of the Fraser and to have coast rates applicable to these points, so as to place the North Arm on an equal footing with New Westminster and Vancouver.

The British Columbia Electric Railway Company, operating over C.P.R. tracks in that area, was required to support the C.P.R. Company's appeal.

Under the old tariff, applicable to North Arm industries, the Canadian National Railway Company was at a great disadvantage. Heavy freight charges were levied by the C.P.R. and B.C.E.R. to move freight consigned from North Arm industrial plants to points on the Canadian National Railway. To get a carload of lumber out to the C.N.R. tracks from the North Arm cost something like $30. To bring in a carload of grain from the Interior, via C.N.R., was also expensive, for the reason that an additional freight handling charge was imposed.

Mr. D. N. Hossie was counsel for the North Fraser Harbor Commissioners and interests allied with them in support of the application; Mr. Leon J. Ladner, K.C., M.P., appeared for the Provincial Government; Mr. E. P. Flintoft for the C.P.R.; Mr. W. A. Riddell for the B.C.E.R. Company, and Mr. Allstair Fraser for the C.N.R.

AVIATORS HURT

TORONTO, Jan. 13.—Crashing 1,000 feet with his plane into a ploughed field, Leigh Capreol, prominent pilot, was seriously injured at the Dufferin Street airport today. Capreol was taken from the wreck and taken to hospital, where extent of his injuries have not been determined.

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AUTOMOBILE CLUB PLANS MEETINGS

Nominations Are Now Being Received for Officers and Directors of Victoria Branch

In accordance with the constitution and by-laws of the Automobile Club of British Columbia the annual general meeting of the Victoria Branch will be held on Wednesday evening, February 5. The meeting will take the form of a dinner to be held at 6:30 p.m., and an interesting programme is being arranged for.

The club has had a very active year and the annual report of the chairman will contain some very interesting information.

Nominations for officers and directors for the year 1930 are now being received by the secretary at the offices of the club, 617 Broughton Street. A list of the present members is available for reference at the office and members are reminded that all are entitled to nominate for chairman, vice-chairman, treasurer and ten directors. The retiring board consists of Rev M. W. Bruce, W. J. Clubb, A. J. Dallain, J. H. Beatty, M.P.P., A. Carmichael, F. Doherty, P. B. Fowler, C. French, J. Graham Graham, R. J. Jamieson, J. R. Kingham, H. D. Twigg, M.P.P., Col. A. W. R. Wilby, C.B.E.

All nominations must be in the hands of the secretary on or before noon on Monday, January 27. Election is by ballot which will be mailed on Wednesday, January 29 and returnable by noon, February 5. Announcement and introduction of the newly-elected board will take place at the meeting in the evening of that day.

The longest cable in the world is from British Columbia to the Fanning Islands, a distance of 3,600 miles.

CHINA IN STATE OF STARVATION

Worst Cold in Forty Years Kills Large Number and Famine Sweeping Off Thousands

By H. J. TIMPERLEY
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PEIPING, China, Jan. 13.—Cold of a severity not experienced in forty years has taken a toll of 4,000 lives in the Suiyuan district of Northern Shansi Province, while a repetition of the wholesale dwindling of the masses from famine in 1929 is expected by the June harvest in adjacent Shensi Province to the west.

Chiefly beggars, whose insufficient clothing and lack of nourishment was not proof against the frigidity, were the victims in Shansi, according to latest information received by the China International Famine Relief Commission here, which questions the accuracy of previous Chinese reports that 15,000 Chinese perished.

Reliable reports describe conditions in Shansi as "almost unbelievably bad." Fully one-third of the population in the central portion of that province died from starvation during 1929, and it is predicted that an equal number are faced with death before the wheat harvest next June.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist, Jan. 14, 1880)

Owing to the weight of snow three buildings collapsed yesterday, at the British Columbia Ironworks: the carpenter's shop of Mr R. Jones, Pandora Avenue, and Mr. Charles Bell's wheelwright premises on Johnson Street. When the wheelwright's premises collapsed it carried with it an expensive bakeoven which had been erected only a few months.

Mayor Turner was re-elected by acclamation yesterday, and contests assured for all the Council seats

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CAPETOWN, S.A., Jan. 13.—Rioting among natives broke out today at Carnarvon, Cape Colony, after a series of native meetings. Colonel Van Zyl, Mayor of Carnarvon, was seriously injured, and several other

Military Intelligence

The 58th Field Battery C.A. will parade at the Armories, Bay Street, at 8 o'clock tonight.

A detachment of the 58th Field Battery C.A. will fire the salute at the opening of the Provincial Legislature on January 28.

Rifle practice will be continued on Friday evening, commencing Friday, January 17, under Lieut. J. Besonette.

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CONTESTS FOR TRUSTEES AND POLICE BOARD

Three in Field for Police Commission Seat in Esquimalt, While Four Enter School Board Fight

ENTIRE COUNCIL REMAINS INTACT



REEVE JAMES ELRICK

Contests for school board and police commission will feature the election in the Esquimalt Municipality Saturday. When nominations closed yesterday afternoon, it was announced that four would be in the field for school trustees and three for the one police office.

Reeve James Elrick will take over the reins for the third time by acclamation, as will the entire council. Councillors Charles H. Smith, Thomas Hadfield and Albert Heald were without opposition.

Two last-minute nominations appeared for police commission, when the names of Messrs. Henry Campbell and Alfred W. Saddler were filed with the returning officer, Mr. John R. Collister. Commissioner Sidney R. Bowden will make the third man in the race. Trustees Alexander Lockley, Mrs. Elizabeth Isbister and Major J. A. P. Crompton will again seek re-election on the school board, while Mr. Robert J. Stewart will be the fourth contestant in the fight.

FOR REEVE

*ELRICK, JAMES, 876 Craigflower Road, agent. Proposed by Ralph D. Stephens, seconded by A. R. Wolfenden.

FOR COUNCIL

(Three to be elected)

*HADFIELD, THOMAS, 526 Joffre Street, engineer. Proposed by W. F. Jenkins, seconded by P. Hay-Currie.

*HEALD, ALBERT, 1307 Lyall Street, merchant. Proposed by William A. Slow, seconded by Philip S. Going.

*SMITH, CHARLES HAMPTON, 531 Joffre Street, street car operator. Proposed by W. H. Dallaway seconded by James H. A. Warr.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES

(Three to be elected)

*CROMPTON, JOHN ARTHUR PHILIP, 446 Constance Avenue, teacher of singing. Proposed by Albert Heald, seconded by Richard A. Willing.

*ISBISTER, ELIZABETH, 625 Canteen Road, housewife. Proposed by Annie Amelia Bullen, seconded by Emmaline Harcourt.

*LOCKLEY, ALEXANDER, 1388 Esquimalt Road, building contractor. Proposed by Ralph D. Stephens, seconded by W. Brown.

STEWART, ROBERT JOHN, 464 Sturdee Street, stonemason. Proposed by Albert Heald, seconded by Richard A. Willing.

FOR POLICE COMMISSION

*BOWDEN, SIDNEY ROBERT, 405 Constance Avenue, advertising clerk. Proposed by Arthur Edward Kent, seconded by Arthur Edward Barton.

CAMPBELL, HENRY, 661 Pine Street, meter reader. Proposed by Robert W. Dent, seconded by Owen Silk.

SADDLER, ALFRED WILLIAM, 462 Grafton Street, watchman. Proposed by Joseph E. Appleby, seconded by John Darbyshire.

*Signifies retiring member.

INQUEST AWAITS AUTOPSY FINDING

Coroner Desires Fuller Information in Connection With Indian Woman's Death

The inquest started yesterday morning in connection with the death of Mrs. Martha Davies, an Indian woman, was suspended abruptly by Coroner E. C. Hart, in order that an autopsy might be performed. Adjournment was taken until 10 o'clock, Wednesday morning.

Following a motor collision on the East Saanich road early last Thursday night, Mrs. Davies was taken to Royal Jubilee Hospital in an unconscious condition and died early Friday morning without regaining consciouness.

Mr. James Fraser, Indian, driving northward on the East Saanich road at 8:30 o'clock on Thursday evening, told of being struck by a southbound car driven by Mr. H. Plater. Constable G. E. Hayden, of the Saanich police, stated that Fraser's car was upside down on the wrong side of the road, and skidmarks on the pavement showed he had traveled sixty-feet after being struck. Both cars carried 1929 license plates.

Dr. W. T. Barrett stated that Mrs. Davies had a medical history showing heart trouble and a tuberculous spine. It would be hard to say her death was due to the accident. Coroner Hart then adjourned proceedings, because of insufficient evidence.

Col. Hiam States Hotel Needed in Prince Rupert

PRINCE RUPERT., B.C., Jan. 11. Colonel T. A. Hiam, of the Canadian Northern Railways, here since Wednesday, left today for Montreal, accompanied to Jasper by Messrs. G. A. McNicholl, J. M. McRae and R. F. McNaughton.

Addressing the Board of Trade, Colonel Hiam said he believed the time had come for building a tourist hotel here and would so inform railway heads in Montreal.

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Apartment House Tenants Escape Blaze Outbreak

WINNIPEG, Jan. 13.—All tenants made a safe exit from Dorchester Court, an apartment on Lake Street, Fort Rouge, when fire threatened destruction of the building late yesterday. Starting, it is believed, from a short circuit, the fire was first noticed in the third floor, from where it spread to the roof. Quick work by the firemen, however, soon brought it under control. The property loss was estimated at $20,000.

Obituary

RATHBUN—The funeral of Mr. Clarke Rathbun was held yesterday afternoon, service taking place at the Thomson Funeral Home at 2 o'clock, Rev. H. A. Ireland officiatng. Many friends attended, showing the esteem in which Mr. Rathbun was held by all who knew him. The hymns sung were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Rock of Ages." Miss Hannah Barr rendered as a solo very sweetly, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is." Mrs. S. M. Morton presided at the organ, and the following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. George Jones, Edward Jones, A. E. Scarfe and Robert Cochrane. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

PETERSON—The remains of William Peterson, who passed away in this city on January 11, are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place this afternoon at 1:45, proceeding to St. John's Church, where service will be conducted by Rev. Canon Chadwick at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MURISET — The funeral of Charles Muriset will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The remains will be laid to rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

DAVIS—The funeral of Mrs. Martha Davis will take place from the residence on the Songhees Reserve, Esquimalt, this morning at 9:15, proceeding to the Catholic Church on Admiral's Road, Esquimalt, where ass will be conducted by Rev. Father Wood at 9:30. Interment will take place in the cemetery on the Songhees Reserve.

WEAVER—There passed away in this city on Sunday, Mrs. Edith Weaver, relict of the late Mr. Joseph Weaver, of Saanich. The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SHORT—There passed away on Sunday, at the residence, 949 Foul Bay Road, Mrs. Sarah E. Short, aged forty-nine years. Mrs. Short was born in England and had resided in the province for twenty years. She is mourned by one daughter, Miss Ena, at home. The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, and will be forwarded to Seattle for cremation.

SAUNDERS—There passed away in this city yesterday Miss Julia Saunders. Miss Saunders was born in London, England, ninety-four years ago. She had been living in Victoria for the past forty years. She leaves no near relatives, but has nieces and nephews in this city, in Vancouver, in Eastern Canada and in England. Funeral service will be held on Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

DENHOLM—There passed away on Sunday afternoon, at the family residence, 643 Avalon Road, John L. Denholm, aged sixty-eight years. Born at Beverley, Ont., Mr. Denholm had been a resident of this city for the past fifteen years. He is survived by his widow at the family residence; two daughters, Mrs. A. E. McLance, Southgate, Cal., and Mrs. H. R. Murphy, Chilliwack, B.C., also one son, James G. Denholm, Nelson, B.C. The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

SHAW—The funeral of William Henry Shaw, who passed away Sunday evening, will take place tomorrow, at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel, and the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

WHELDON—The funeral of Samuel Douglas Wheldon, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital last Friday, took place yesterday at 3:30 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and friends were present. The casket and floral racks at the chapel were covered with many beautiful flowers. Rev. F. H. Ramsey officiated and the hymn sung was "Abide With Me." Messrs. W. F. Orme, S. E. Wallace, George I. Warren, W. H. L. Jones, R. Curtis and D. W. Campbell acted as pallbearers and the remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MUTRIE—Relatives and many sympathizing friends were in attendance yesterday, at 2 o'clock, at the Sands Funeral Chapel, where Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson delivered an impressive service over the remains of Miss Edythe Mutrie. The many beautiful flowers testified to the popularity of the young lady and the hymns sung were "Abide With Me" and "Peace, Perfect Peace." Messrs. Grant Johnston, Gordon Sevard, E. A. Gregory, Allen Gillzean, William Wilson and Dr. Angus McInnes acted as pallbearers, and the remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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CENTRAL SELLING AGENCY PROPOSED

Industrial Group Executive of Chamber Will Discuss Suggestions at Early Date

Consideration of the formation of a central selling agency for the smaller industries of Victoria will feature a meeting of the Industrial Group of the Chamber of Commerce, the tentative date for which was yesterday fixed by the executive of the group for January 27.

The establishment of a new fish packing plant will also be considered at the meeting.

At yesterday's meeting of the executive, Mr. W. H. Mearns submitted a scheme for the proper improvement of the Willows grounds. Mr. Mearns produced plans for a new building in which the Home Products Fair might be held in the year 1931, and showed proposals for making a sports ground inside the Willows track. This matter was submitted to the executive for its consideration and will be further discussed at a future date.

MAN WILL HANG

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—The law will be permitted to take its course in the execution of Sam Kuhutz, at Regina, February 16. The cabinet, having reviewed the case, decided there would be no interference in the carrying out of the death sentence, it was stated today.

If punishment were an effective deterrent in all cases, there would be no crime.—Earl of Birkenhead.

CONTEST ONLY SCHOOL SEATS AT OAK BAY

Reeve Hayward and Three Councillors Will Be Returned by Acclamation for Further Term of Office

MR. H. L. N. EDWARDS IS ALSO UNOPPOSED

In Oak Bay there will be a contest only for the school board, where there are four candidates for three seats. The nominations made yesterday were as follows:

FOR REEVE

*HAYWARD, ERNEST C., 2470 Bowker Avenue, electrical engineer. Proposed by W. Henderson, seconded by Charles E. Wilson.

FOR COUNCILLORS

(Three to be elected.)

*CREASE, ARTHUR D., 915 Foul Bay Road, barrister-at-law. Proposed by R. C. Pattison and seconded by Henry D. Thompson.

*GOODLAKE, THOMAS J., 904 Island Road, broker. Proposed by R. W. Mayhew, seconded by W. Luney.

*MEARNS, WILLIAM H., 2305 Burdick Avenue, secretary. Proposed by H. R. Brown, seconded by W. Paterson.

FOR TRUSTEES

(Three to be elected.).

*CURTIS, PERCY F., 1660 Prospect Place, retired. Proposed by William J. Alder, seconded by L. Adamson.

*McCONNAN, E. M., 1174 St. David Street, accountant. Proposed by E. D. Todd, seconded by J. C McIntosh.

RUFFELL, WENDELL H., 1020 Monterey Avenue, accountant. Proposed by W. S. Smith, seconded by J. H. Ellet.

STERRY, FRANCIS M., 686 St. Patrick Street, agent. Proposed by C. E. Wilson, seconded by W. Ellis.

FOR POLICE COMMISSIONER

*EDWARDS, HAROLD L. N., 725 Byng Street, automobile proprietor. Proposed by E. H. Williams, seconded by R. A. Playfair.

*Signifies returning member.

SCANLON FREED ON MAIN COUNT

JUDGMENT GIVEN IN ESQUIMALT CASE BEFORE COUNTY COURT YESTERDAY

Accused Is Acquitted on Charge of Robbery but Held to Have Committed Assault

George W. Scanlon was acquitted by Judge Lampman in County Court yesterday when tried on a charge of robbery with violence, alleged to have been committed in Esquimalt on December 23. The only evidence in support of the charge, that of John Burchell, the alleged victim, was not regarded by the court as demanding very serious consideration, Burchell not being a very satisfactory witness, and being, in addition, intoxicated at the time. The court held, however, that Scanlon, who admitted hitting Burchell, had not done so in self defence and had committed common assault. For this a sentence of two weeks' imprisonment was imposed, His Honor taking into account the fact that Scanlon had already been held for a similar period while awaiting trial. Mr. H. W. R. Moore appeared for the Crown and Mr. J. B. Clearihue for the accused.

Judge Lampman said that the weak point in Scanlon's case was that he had told another story to the police when questioned, and that after knocking Burchell down he had left him and gone to the city. There was no doubt that Burchell was drunk, and he could not give much weight to Burchell's statements as to the details of what Scanlon did. He would acquit Scanlon on the charge of theft. But Scanlon had struck Burchell, and this was not necessary in self defence. He would find the accused guilty of common assault.

Mr. Clearihue drew His Honor's attention to the fact that Scanlon had already been detained in prison since December 23. The court said that it would take that into consideration and would impose a sentence of two weeks instead of one for a month.

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Quaker Corn, 2 tins ..... 29¢

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AGED MAN DIES FOLLOWING FALL

William H. Shaw Found at Foot of Stairs—Inquest This Morning

Believed by police to have fractured the base of his skull in a fall down a flight of stairs, Mr. William H. Shaw, seventy-year-old janitor at Cornwell's Bakery, Fort Street, was found dead early yesterday morning at the foot of the stairs leading to the second story of the building.

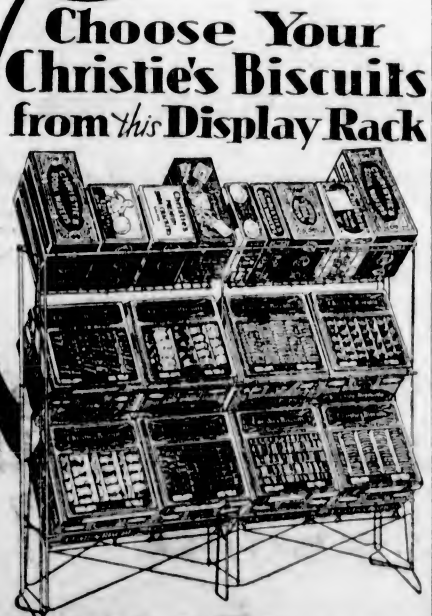
Coroner E. C. Hart has ordered an inquest for 10 o'clock this morning at Sands Funeral Parlors, where the remains are resting.

Mr. C. Moffatt, a worker in the building, found the body and notified the police at 2:30 o'clock Monday morning. It is thought Mr. Shaw was carrying a plate of food up the stairs when he tripped and fell. Mr. Shaw was a resident of the city for forty-seven years.



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REEVE LODGES OBJECTION TO TAX INCREASE

Problems of Financing District Like Saanich Are Explained by Mr. Crouch in Wards Five and Six

REDUCED COST OF OFFICE STAFF

The campaign for the reeveship of Saanich opened in two wards last evening, Reeve Crouch meeting the ratepayers of Wards Five and Six, giving them an account of his stewardship for the past year, reading the statement which was published in Sunday morning's issue of The Colonist and supplementing the information contained therein with other remarks. The reeve was accorded a flattering reception and was listened to with the greatest of interest both at Royal Oak and Keating Hall. On the conclusion of his remarks he solicited questions from those present, and on a number being presented answered them apparently to entire satisfaction.

SURPLUSES SHOWN

In addition to the statement that the report of revenue and expenditure for the year had been released Monday afternoon, and he advised everyone to get a copy and study it. That report would show a surplus of $3,600. The waterworks department would also show a surplus of some $12,000, but this would be eaten up if the twelve-inch water mains, now proposed, were laid down Wilkinson Road. The financial position of the municipality was very good, and at the beginning of a new year Saanich could look forward with considerable optimism to the future.

While the municipality, in common with other municipalities throughout the province, received slightly larger sums than expected from liquor profits and pari-mutuel receipts, the reeve was undecided as to whether it was good or bad business taking the money. Personally, he was not greatly in favor of a municipality accepting money from these particular sources. He felt it was too bad that Saanich could not finance its business without it. The reeve paid a compliment to preceding councils because of their judicious investments, which resulted in no levies being made during the past year. He cited the difficulties of transportation in the district and the problems arising. There was the case where a person had written him asking that a workmen's bus be run to the city on work days. He had interested the transportation management, and a bus was put on the run where requested. After several weeks, no trade offering in the meantime, the service was withdrawn, when it developed that those who were most eager to have the service established did not patronize it.

PAY AS YOU GO

Replying to questions the reeve stated that when the Government took over certain roads in the district as arterial highways, the money saved would not be applied solely on the wards affected, but would be apportioned equitably over all wards in the municipality. As to being in favor of a pay-as-you-go policy, Reeve Crouch said such a policy would be possible if the ratepayers would stand the inevitable increase in the mill rate. On the cost of the school buildings now proposed, if the bylaws passed, the pay-as-you-go policy would mean paying back their entire cost in two years out of general revenue, in which event there would not be much left for roads, or anything else.

"Had we found it possible to grant the school board the $72,000 that they wanted out of general revenue, it would have meant a mill rate between forty-five and fifty mills."

Last year road bonds were retired, and there would be $33,000 available this year for reducing the mill rate or for road work, as the council determined. The $7,000 which the municipality paid in connection with the Government work on the arterial highways was paid out of general revenue.

Asked whether he was in favor of separate school boards within the municipality, the Reeve replied that this was a matter for the Government to determine. The council had no choice in the matter. This very matter had been discussed at the last convention of the British Columbia Municipalities, and the executive of this organization was to wait on the government at the coming session of the legislature for the express object of petitioning the government to take over the schools entirely, as well as the administration of all hospitals.

COST OF IMPROVEMENTS

Queried as to what was his attitude toward improvements, Reeve Crouch stated that he was decidedly adverse at the present time to any programme of improvements. Improvements meant greater taxation for everybody who owned land. The man he wanted to see get relief was the small land owner. It was suggested that the accounts of each ward might be kept separately, so that the ratepayers could readily ascertain what each ward cost. To this the Reeve replied that such a course would undoubtedly increase the cost of the municipal office staff, which he stated cost a great deal less at present than it was costing when he first assumed office. He had reorganised it at the time. For three years, 1921-22-23, the cost of maintaining the municipal staff was $43,000; for the next three years, $47,000; and for the three years of his reeveship, the cost had been just slightly over $30,000, a saving of over $13,000.

AT KEATING

Proceeding to Keating Temperance Hall, the Reeve's address there, was largely a repetition of that delivered at Royal Oak, where Mr. Montague Bruce was in the chair, and where Mr. Crouch was accorded as cordial a reception as he had received at his first meeting. At Keating he was asked several questions. He thought the school board was traveling in the wrong direction when it was endeavoring to build a small school when a central school could serve all the district, the pupils from the outlying districts to be assisted with transportation or at least a portion of the cost.

The meeting had been addressed prior to the reeve's arrival by Candidate Cawsey for the police board, and who had suggested giving the job of collecting taxes to an outside man, relieving the policemen of the duty. The reeve was recommending an additional man for the force, and the chairman would like to know what he thought of Mr. Cawsey's suggestion. The reeve pointed out that a man in uniform was a more effective collector than a man in plain clothes. There was no hardship for the patrolman on duty to collect these taxes.

The reeve referred to Police Commissioner King's faithful service on the police board during the past year. "On my record of the past three years I am appealing for re-election. If elected I will carry on the same as in the past. I believe my policy has been a good one, and I have tried to run this municipality as oif it were a business, and my very own," the reeve concluded.

City & District

Chimney Fire—Victoria Fire Department took a run to 1010 Fairfield Road at 12.40 o'clock yesterday to extinguish a chimney fire.

Cuts Tendon—Mr. Henry D. Smith, 628 Hillside Avenue, formean, Silver Spring Brewery, sustained a cut tendon in his right hand while at work yesterday. He was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital and attended by Dr. J. S. McCallum.

Attend Meeting—Dr. A. Gunn, livestock commissioner for the province, and Dr. W. K. Knight, chief veterinary inspector of the Department of Agriculture, left yesterday for the Mainland to attend the meeting of the British Columbia Dairymen's Association, which is being held in Vancouver.

Report on Smelter Fumes—Mr. M. S. Middleton, district horticulturist for the Okanagan, who has been under loan by the Department of Agriculture of the province for two months to the National Research Council of Canada, has now gone to Ottawa, where he will present his report. Mr. Middleton will confer with Dr. H. M. Tory, at Ottawa, and then proceed to Washington, D.C., to be present at the sitting of the Joint International Waterways Commission, which will open its sittings in the United States capital on January 22. He will report upon the result of his investigations into the effects of the smelter fumes from Trail across the boundary line.

To Speak Tonight—Mr. D. B. Plunkett, M.P., will speak over CFCT at 7:15 o'clock this evening on Federal politics and at the mass meeting to be addressed by the Hon. R. B. Bennett, the leader of the Conservative Party, at the Royal Victoria Theatre tomorrow evening.

To Reside in City—Hon. R. W. Bruhn, President of the Council in the Government of the Province, has taken up his home in the capital for the Winter. He and Mrs. Bruhn have taken a house on St. David's Street, number 1354, where they will reside during the session of the Legislature.

UNEMPLOYED MEN WAIT ON COUNCIL

Mr. Walter Inward Speaks on Unemployment Conditions—Works Committee Acting

A large delegation of unemployed men of Victoria waited upon the City Council at its meeting last night. Mr. Walter Inward drew attention to the conditions of unemployment in Canada and Victoria, and claimed it was the duty of the city to make provision for the poor and needy in Victoria. He said a number of persons here were practically starving, and that relief must be accorded such cases.

The delegation was informed that the council, at its last meeting, had referred the matter of unemployment to the public works committee, and this body was empowered to spend moneys to deal with the situation. Alderman Litchfield suggested that casual labor could be employed under the supervision of the city engineer, in cleaning up properties which had reverted to the city. Alderman Adam favored appropriation of some money to the chairman of the parks committee for the leveling of the football field at Beacon Hill Park.

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UNDER THE CLOCK
City Hall Activities in Brief

Dr. Richard Felton, city medical health officer, last night presented to the City Council the report of the health department for December. The statement showed that last month in Victoria there were eighty-two births, forty males and forty-two females, six of which were Asiatics. Deaths numbered fifty-two, composed of fifty whites and two Asiatics. There were thirty-seven marriages here in December.

The B.C. Electric Railway Company sought authority to install a gasoline tank with 500 gallons capacity, and a pump, at the car barns on Pembroge Street. The council granted permission to the company to make such installation, subject to the entire satisfaction of Fire Chief Vernon Stewart.

City Building Inspector James Barf yesterday issued a permit to Stobie, Forlong & Company, mine and oil stockbrokers, for the remodeling of two stores at 1225 Government Street, for use as bond offices. The alterations will cost $1,800.

The inability of Squadron Leader J. L. McLeod, of Vancouver, to come to Victoria yesterday resulted in the postponement of the further conference scheduled between the industrial committee of the City Council and the port development committee of the Chamber of Commerce concerning the matter of the location of a seaplane base for Victoria. Mayor Anscomb announces that the meeting will be held at the first available opportunity.

Aldermen William T. Straith, H. O. Litchfield and Eugene S. Woodward were appointed members of the zoning committee of the City Council.

The Social Service League invited the council to appoint a representative on the directorate of the league. The organization will be advised that the council only appoints representatives on bodies which receive grants from the city.

There were 168 males and 149 females buried at Ross Bay cemetery last year, the report of the committee showed. This shows an increase of twenty-seven males and twelve females, making a total increase of thirty-nine on the figures or 1928.

To the estimates committee was referred an application from the Provincial Exhibition management, through the British Columbia Agricultural Association, for the usual grant of $5,000 towards staging the 1930 exhibition.

Messrs. Brett & Ker, Ltd., wrote on behalf of a client for the purchase of tax sale lands on Quadra Street, between Market and Topaz Avenues, for the establishment of a bungalow court and first class automobile camp. The matter was sent to the public works committee for report.

City Solicitor H. S. Pringle advised the council that a strict interpretation of the city's zoning by-law does not permit of the construction of a number of small dwellings on a restricted area for the purpose of constituting a tourist camp. He recommends action upon advice tendered in June, 1929, to the finance committee to have the council and zoning board of appeal co-operate in not permitting any further auto tourist camps to come into existence within the city.

To the estimates committee was referred an application for a grant of $1,000 for a proper celebration of Dominion Day, the matter being raised in a communication from the Native Sons of Canada.

The small street, "Beau," in Victoria West, at the request of the Victoria West Brotherhood, is to be consolidated into the name of the adjacent street, Powderly.

The council last night reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Ross Bay Cemetery Amendment Bylaw providing for the increasing of the amount payable by the city for the funeral of an indigent from $20 to $50.

A suggestion that there should be a health committee of the City Council was made by Alderman Alex Peden at last night's council meeting. The speaker considered it was only fair that the health officer should have a committee, just as the engineer and fire chief have, to confer on details of the department. Mayor Anscomb said he was opposed to too many committees, and added that the city had a splendid health officer, who was performing his duties most efficiently.

Announcements

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ARE HEARD ON POLICE TOPICS

Mr. C. E. King and Mr. F. Cawsey, Candidates for Saanich Commission, Address Meetings

BOTH OPPOSED TO ADDITION TO FORCE



—Photograph by Gibson
MR. CHARLES E. KING
Mr. King is seeking office again as Police commissioner in Saanich.

"I have one object in view in seeking re-election to the Saanich Board of Police Commissioners, and that is to give the municipality the best possible service at the lowest possible cost," said Mr. Charles E. King, in addressing a meeting of ratepayers at Royal Oak last night.

Mr. King spoke of the suggestion that a special man should be appointed to collect taxes in the municipality. He had come to the conclusion that this was not feasible, as it would be doubtful if he could handle the entire district as efficiently as the police force. He was also of the opinion that a local force was of more value to Saanich than a provincial force.

"With reference to the appointment of another policeman in Saanich," said Mr. King, "I do not think this is necessary at the present time. It would also involve the cost of another motorcycle and I shall oppose such a move, in the event of my election, unless the reeve can show me that the appointment is unavoidable."

Police Commissioner A. E. Scaife endorsed Mr. King's remarks.

EFFICIENT ADMINISTRATION

Mr. F. Cawsey, who is contesting Mr. King's seat, addressed meetings at Keating and Royal Oak. He spoke of the present conditions under which the Saanich police work, remarking that they were used as "dog catchers and licence peddlers.

"I do not think another policeman is necessary," said Mr. Cawsey. "The logical procedure is to relegate to the force the genuine police work of the municipality, which would make for efficiency and save about $2,000 a year in taxes."

"Mr. King, in a letter to the press, said that it was a pity that I had not stated my record on the force more fully. One has heard the expression, 'to draw a red herring across the trail.' Mr. King, however, has been content to use mud as a medium. However, each man works best in the medium with which he is most familiar."

Mr. Cawsey spoke of an accident which had occurred when he was in the Saanich police. He had been accused, he said, of having run into another cycle with his own machine. In effect, he stated, he had been proceeding along an arterial highway, while the other machine had come out of a side road. The damage to his own motorcycle had been done to the rearend of the machine. He wondered how he could have "run into" the other victim of the accident, since his own machine had no reverse gear.

NOT HAD SQUARE DEAL

"The reason why I have mentioned this matter," said Mr. Cawsey, "is that it strikes at the whole administation of the force, which has not had a square deal so far. There is no reason on earth why a Saanich policeman should be on duty twenty-four hours a day.

"You would not send for a bricklayer to supervise a carpentering job. Is it therefore unreasonable to suggest that a man with years of police experience, who was capable of taking charge of the entire plain clothes force of the city of Winnipeg within five months, and who afterwards became senior constable in Saanich, should not be qualified to become a commissioner in the municipality?"

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AUDIT MADE OF ACCOUNTS OF BROKERS

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Crown will ask for an eight-day adjournment before preliminary hearing.

Mentioned in the charges against both Mr. Mills and Mr. Solloway were Messrs. Harold Hendrickson, L. L. Masson and divers other persons quoted as having conspired with the charged men. No charge has been preferred against Mr Hendrickson or Mr. Masson, who are two other ascertained directors of the Solloway, Mills firm.

Action of the Manitoba Government in placing auditors in the offices of Solloway, Mills and Stobie, Forlong & Matthews, Ltd., at Winnipeg is taken under provisions of the Security Frauds Prevention Act. According to Mr. W. R. Cottingham, chairman of the Manitoba Municipal and Public Utility Board, that body has been in communication for some time with other provincial bodies. The action, he said, is along the line taken elsewhere as a check up in the method of trading.

"We are welcoming the Manitoba Government audit and co-operating in every way," answered Mr. George W. Matthews, managing director of Stobie, Forlong & Matthews, Ltd. Similar expression was voiced by officials in the Winnipeg offices of Solloway, Mills. The audit is being handled by the firms of Turner, Lowe & Grant and Hubert Read & Co.

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Women's Work and Institutes

Women's Clubs and Societies

Y.W.C.A. Board Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Y.W.C.A. was held on Friday. The Travelers' Aid reported 185 boats and fifty-eight trains and busses met and forty-eight people assisted, including several needy cases. The house committee reported twenty-seven permanent and thirty-four transient guests. It was decided that the annual linen shower be held on the afternoon of February 11. The number of guests for Christmas dinner was seventy. A Christmas tree was held for the children of the "Story Hour," on December 21. After the stories and games Miss Kathleen Roberts acted as Santa Claus and each child received a gift. The girls' work committee reported that there were 117 members in the educational classes during the year. This does not include the children's story hour, which met on twenty-nine Saturday mornings with a total attendance of 890. The following classes will reopen for the Spring term next week: China painting, physical culture, first aid (St. John ambulance course), home nursing, basketry and embroidery, handicraft, oil and water color painting. The Welcome and Blue Triangle Clubs held a Christmas party on December 26, which was greatly enjoyed. The membership committee reported several renewals. It was decided to hold the annual "at home" for members of the association on Tuesday evening, January 21. The annual meeting of the association will be held on February 4. The following were appointed the nominating committee: Mesdames Grimmison, Norris, Armstrong, Clibborn and Kirby.

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Ladies' Aid, Sidney United

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Sidney United Church was held at the home of Mrs. Jackson, Queen's Avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, with a fair attendance of members. The new president, Mrs. J. E. McNeil, occupied the chair. The aid decided to take as their objective for the coming year the renovating of the parsonage, and ways and means of raising funds were discussed. It was decided to hold a Valentine silver tea in the Wesley Hall on the afternoon of February 14, from three to six o'clock. Mrs. Willerton was asked to take charge of the home cooking and candy stall, and Mrs. Hall to take charge of the handkerchief stall. During the tea hour a musical programme will be presented. The annual congregational banquet to be held on the evening of January 21 in Sidney, was discussed, and in connection with this a committee meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Douglas next Tuesday. The meeting adjourned for tea, which was served by the hostess, and the kind invitation of Mrs. H. O. Homewood to hold next month's meeting at her home, Amelia Avenue, was accepted.

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Institute, Oyster, Holds Party

The monthly card party given by the members of the Farmers' Institute was held in the Oyster Schoolhouse on Friday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent. Seven tables of whist were in play, the prize winners being: Ladies, first, Mrs. Thicke; second, Miss Kathleen Porter; consolation, Miss Addie Thicke; gentlemen, first, Mr. Kenneth Rayer; second, Mr. Frank Porter; consolation, Mr. J. Reed. Dainty refreshments were served by the ladies of the institute, after which the floor was cleared for dancing. Mr. Frank Dumont, of Ladysmith, provided exceptionally good music. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. Proteau, Mrs. E. Peerless, Mr. and Mrs. Thicke, Miss Cissie Collis, Mrs. and Miss Brawn, Mrs. A. V. Porter, Miss Enid Fraser, Mrs. W. J. Porter and Miss Kathleen Porter, Messrs. J. Reed, C. Southin, Frank Dumont, Frank Porter, Kenneth Rayer, W. Kenyon, Roy Simmonds and C. M. Baker.

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Alert Bay W.A.

The Women's Auxiliary of Christ Church, Alert Bay, held its annual meeting in the Parish Hall on Wednesday evening. Rev. C. K. K. Prosser was in the chair. The secretary-treasurer of the senior branch, Mrs. J. Ward, read a resume of the year's work and gave a financial statement. The president, Miss Dibben, gave a short speech before the election of the new officers, who were returned by acclamation as follows: President, Miss K. Dibben; vice-president, Mrs. S. Cook; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. T. D. Woods; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. F. Kenmuir; literary secretary, Mrs. H. Pidcock; thankoffering secretary, Mrs. R. Cook; extra cent-a-day secretary, Miss Long; girls' supervisor, Miss Topping; junior supervisor, Miss Haddon; little helpers, Mrs. G. Myers. The delegate to the annual meeting to be held in Victoria on January 22, was also chosen, Mrs. Kenmuir kindly consenting to act.

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Allies Chapter, I.O.D.E.

The monthly meeting of the North Saanich branch of the Allies Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held on Thursday afternoon in the Guide and Scout Hall. The Chapter appointed Mrs. White-Birch, Mrs. Spooner, Mrs. W. McLean and Mrs. Philp as delegates to the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women. Mrs. Belson, Mrs. C. Layard and Mrs. Rochfort were appointed Provincial Councillors, I.O.D.E., for 1930. The Chapter voted twenty-five dollars to a needy returned soldier's family and five dollars for wool for knitting garments for the Solarium. The treasurer reported that the sum of seventy dollars was realized from the silver tea held on January 9. Mrs. Rankin, Jr., was accorded a hearty vote of thanks for convening the Christmas hampers so successfully. Nominations for officers for the ensuing year then took place.

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Rockland Park W.C.T.U.

Delegates to the Local Council of Women were appointed at the meeting of the Rockland Park W.C.T.U. held at the home of Mrs. John Hall, the appointees being as follows: Mesdames J. Hall, Hood, Moody, and F. W. Laing. The plans for Frances Willard Day were also discussed and formulated. There was a good attendance of members, Mrs. Laing being in the chair. One new member being joined. Letters of greeting were received from distant friends who had enjoyed the W.C.T.U. meetings, and several articles on temperance were read, followed by discussion. The meeting voted $7.50 to help the coming temperance contest. Refreshments were served by the hostess, and a social half-hour spent. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Keyworth, Battery Street, on February 3.

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Ladies' Aid, South Saanich United

The Ladies' Aid Society of the South Saanich United Church met in the church parlor on Thursday afternoon. There was an excellent attendance and Miss L. Dearing presided. It was arranged to hold the annual bazaar in the church on Monday afternoon, March 17, which will be continued into the evening. Business regarding the annual congregational banquet which will be held at Sidney this year, on Tuesday evening, January 21, was discussed. At the close of the meeting sewing for the sale of work was commenced. The next meeting will be on Thursday afternoon, February 13.

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Canadian Daughters

Members of Assembly No. 30, Canadian Daughters' League, are reminded of the regular business meeting to be held in the Sons of Canada Hall this evening at 8 o'clock. Applications for membership will be received and several important items of business will be dealt with. A name for the Assembly will be chosen at this time.

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Ladies' Aid, Calvary Baptist

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Calvary Baptist Church, Chemainus, was held in the classroom on January 9. There was a very good attendance, the collection for the afternoon amounting to $26.00. As a generous friend had guaranteed to give a sum similar to that collected, the total of $52.00 was realized.

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Women's Guild of Langford

The annual meeting of the Women's Guild of St. Matthew's Church, Langford, will be held on Wednesday afternoon, January 15, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. H. Simpson, Peatt Road. All interested in the welfare of the church are invited to attend.

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Oaklands P.-T.-A.

The monthly meeting of the Oaklands Parent-Teachers' Association has been postponed this month owing to the cold weather. The next meeting will take place in the school auditorium, on Monday, February 3, at 8 p.m.

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Sir M. B. Begbie Chapter

The Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold its monthly meeting on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. E. Wootton, 1255 Victoria Avenue.

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Native Daughters

The Native Daughters of British Columbia will hold a business meeting in the rooms of the Alexandra Club, Campbell Building, on Tuesday at 8 o'clock.

MISS BENNETT TO BE GUEST



Hon. R. B. Bennett, K.C., on this visit to Victoria, is accompanied by his sister, Miss Mildred Bennett, whose interest in politics and in her brother's public life is intense. The Women's Conservative Association of this city has arranged for a reception to Miss Bennett tomorrow afternoon. While all ladies of the party in Victoria are expected to be present, the hope is expressed that Conservative women from all Island constituencies will also attend and participate in the reception at the Conservative rooms, from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

LUXTON AND HAPPY VALLEY

The annual meeting of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute was held at the residence of Mrs. H. A. Baxter, "Deerfoot Lodge," on Thursday evening. The officers for the ensuing year are: President, Mrs. David Welch; vice-president, Mrs. John Trace; secretary, Mrs. Hutchinson; directors, Mesdames Goodsell, Hankin and Baxter.

The directors' report showed a very active year. The public health work of the Institute was carried out through co-operation with the Busy Bee Club for Girls, Miss H. G. Kelly being convener and supervisor of the club. A flower show was held in conjunction with the Busy Bee annual gala day. The Institute took up the matter of an addition to the school, which was greatly needed, with the School Board, and one room has been added to the school, where there are now two teachers. A first aid kit was also presented to the school.

It was with great pleasure that Mrs. Mary Cooper, a native daughter of Vancouver Island, was made a life member and presented with the W.I. badge.

During the year the meetings included a spelling bee, a quilting bee, and a wool bee, when the wool was carded, and a debate. The outings of the year comprised a trip to the Experimental Farm at Sidney, a social evening at the home of Mrs. Jack Trace, Glen Lake, and a basket picnic on the Taylor beach, Metchosin. The methods of raising funds has been by giving card parties, a home-cooking stall in David Spencer's, a flower show, superfluity sale and a comforter draw. There were two demonstrations of pruning given in members' gardens by an expert horticulturist from the Department of Agriculture. Useful embroidery stitches were demonstrated by Mrs. J. D. Gordon, president of the provincial board; canning and pie making by Mrs. John Stockand, a member of this Institute.

Mrs. V. S. McLaughlin gave an address on the campaign for the eradication of noxious weeds. Miss Bradshaw, general secretary of the Y.W.C.A., spoke on the work of that institution.

One case and three dozen eggs had been donated to the Alexander Solarium, also part of the proceeds of the comforter draw.

Five dollars was sent to the Travelers' Aid of the Y.W.C.A. Two prizes were given for the potato fair, ice cream for the annual Hallowe'en party and the refreshments at the Christmas tree. Plans are being made to hold a sale of plants and bulbs early in the Spring.

A committee has been appointed to confer with the principal of the school regarding a challenge cup for the local girls' basketball league. The secretary was instructed to write to the Provincial Police, calling attention to the danger of trucks carrying but one front light, and asking if some action may be taken in the matter. Messrs. A. Rankin and R. S. Oliver were named auditors for the ensuing year, a hearty vote of thanks having been passed to the 1929 auditors. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess and a social hour enjoyed.

ROYAL OAK

The January meeting of the Royal Oak Women's Institute was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nicholson, with a very good attendance, Miss Oldfield presiding. Two new members were enrolled, and a visitor who had been in institute work in England and is now a resident in the district was present. The president gave her report, for which there was not time at the annual meeting in December, and which included a resume of the varied activities carried on during the year, resulting in a satisfactory amount in the treasury, which will be turned over to the building committee to apply on the Community Hall, which is being purchased. Reports were received from the convenors of the various committees, including the social workers, who had arranged for a number of dances, which have become increasingly popular. It was thought best to postpone the one for January 10 to a later date, which will be announced shortly. Miss Kathleen Griffin was appointed representative to the Local Council of Women for 1930, while the delegates to the annual meeting of the Council in February are: Miss Oldfield, Mrs. Mead-Robins, Miss K. Griffin and Mrs. Nicholson. Members chosen for other committees were: Public health and child welfare, Mrs. Pinhorn, Mrs. Mead-Robins, Mrs. Coffey; education and better schools, Mrs. Coton, Mrs. H. C. Oldfield and Mrs. Wilkinson; community betterment, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Thorpe, Mrs. Hoole and Mrs. Greaves; social, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Massey, Mrs. Hersey, Mrs. Cariss.

At the suggestion of one of the members, a question box will be on the table at each meeting and an endeavor made to answer all enquiries.

A silver tea is being arranged for January 20, for which an attractive programme is outlined.

SHIRLEY

Shirley Women's Institute held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Thomas E. Cross last Friday afternoon. Quite a large number of members were present, notwithstanding weather conditions, Mrs. E. Banner and Mrs. Banner, Sr., motoring out from town to be present. Mrs. E. H. Cross, the first president of this institute, has returned after spending a few years in Saskatchewan, and was warmly welcomed. The chair was taken by the vice-president, Mrs. M. A. Clark, in the absence of the president, Mrs. W. J. Milligan. The year's activities were reviewed and considered very satisfactory, including the papering and kalsomining of the schoolhouse and painting outside, card parties, etc., being well patronized, and proving the most popular form of social entertainment. The financial statement was also satisfactory. A resolution forwarded from the Kelowna Institute, asking for endorsement relating to an extension of the benefits of the Mothers' Pension to include motherless children cared for by relatives, etc., while the father was incapacitated or unable to provide for them, and which had been laid over from last meeting for further consideration, was taken up. The institute had sent for a copy of the act and the members had found that under sections 7 and 12 the situation outlined by the Kelowna Institute was fully covered, and also found that the Provincial Secretary's Department was caring at the present time for such cases when they find they conform to the regulations thereof. The Kelowna Institute will be so informed by the secretary of this institute. The officers elected for the year were as follows: President, Mrs. M. A. Clark; vice-president, Mrs. Norval Milligan; Secretary, Mrs. T. E. Cross; directors, Mrs. E. T. Arden, Mrs. E. H. Cross; auditors, Mrs. W. J. Milligan and Mrs. Edwin Clark. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to the retiring officers, and Mrs. E. H. Cross assisted the hostess in serving dainty refreshments. Mrs. Frank Liddstone extended an invitation to the members for the February meeting which was accepted.

COMOX DISTRICT

The annual meeting of the Comox District Women's Institute resulted in the re-election of all officers as follows: President, Mrs. F. W. Galloway; secretary, Mrs. G. W. T. Carwithen; treasurer, Mrs. Walter McPhee; directors, Mesdames Hargood-Ash and J. Thompson. Mrs. J. D. Macdonald was appointed hostess for social occasions. Mrs. R. J. Selfe and Mrs. W. Brown are conveners of St. John Ambulance Association and social committees, respectively. Grants were made to the Otto Scott fund to the extent of $33 per year for three years to assist crippled children at the solarium; $5 each to the local Boy Scouts and Girl Guides, and the secretary $25.

WEST SAANICH

The West Saanich Women's Institute held its usual fornightly card party on Wednesday evening with nine tables engaged in play. Prizes were won by the following: First, Mrs. S. Fox, Mrs. Francis, Mr. H. Parker and Rev. Father Scheelan; second, Mrs. H. Ward, Mrs. A. Lacoursiere, Mr. Walker and Mr. H. Ensor.

COLWOOD

The monthly meeting of the Colwood Women's Institute will be held in the hall on Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. An address on the West Coast Mission will be given by Rev. G. C. F. Pringle, of Victoria.

Heads Club Which Is to Give Ball on January 24



—Photograph by Wheeler-Fort Studio

MISS JEANETTE CANN

President of the University Women's Club, which will hold its fourth annual ball at the Empress Hotel on January 24. These events have become noted as among the most select and artistically arranged of the winter's dances,, proving something in the nature of a reunion of the University graduates in the city and their friends. A five-piece orchestra will supply the music and the supper, which will be a sit-down affair, is again being elevated into a distinctive feature of the ball. Nondancers will find bridge tables ready downstairs, and already a number have intimated their intention of joining this section of the party. The ball is under the joint convenership of Miss Nan Eton (Victoria High School staff), and Miss Muriel Aylard, and other members of the committee are Miss Laura Archibald, Miss Grace Smith, Miss Maxwell and Mrs. Johns. Mrs. J. C. F. Hyndman is convener of the ticket committee, and tickets may be had from any member of the club.

Skating Party Held By Mission Circle

A meeting of the Metropolitan Mission Circle was held on Friday evening and was followed on Saturday by the customary outing, which took the form of a skating party, which was at Reid's Pond. The ice and weather left nothing to be desired and each member entered into the enjoyment of the afternoon with happy enthusiasm. Hot cocoa, sandwiches and cake provided a very enjoyable interlude, after which skating was resumed. Mr. W. E. Harper and Mr. A. J. Daniels very kindly provided the cars which conveyed the party to the scene. The next meeting of the Circle, which takes place on St. Valentine's Day, will take the form of a valentine supper meeting, followed by the regular business meeting.

Private Exhibition In London

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LONDON, Jan. 13.—The most important social event of the London post-Christmas season was the private view of the Italian Art Exhibition at Burlington House on December 31.

Everybody who is anybody in art, literature, politics, the church and on the stage was present. But this private view was different from any others. Instead of being a protest for idle chatter and for the showing of beautiful toilettes, it was a serious occasion on which art for once triumphed over triviality.

Even those who came to talk stayed to marvel at the lovely Madonnas and saints and the early primitives, and at the wonderful Botticellis, Titians, Tintoretto Giorgiones and Bellinis that adorn the walls of the Royal Academy in such a blaze of genius. The church was particularly well represented, and Dean Inge, lost in reverie before many a picture, the Archbishop of York, the Bishop of Willesden, the Dean of Westminster and a host of other ecclesiastical celebrities thronged the galleries.

Lady Oxford, who never misses a private view, was wearing green, trimmed with astrachan, and wheeled her invalid sister about in a chair. Lord Reading was so intent on the pictures that he did not bother to look for friends, and Lord Brentford seemed in his element. Among famous Edwardian figures were Sir Arthur Pinero, Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson, Lady Alexander, resplendent in carnation-colored velvet, and, of course, Dame Madge Kendall, looking younger than ever, in an entrancing bonnet trimmed with Parma violets.

Chemainus Personals

Mrs. J. A. MacKay, who has for several months been visiting friends in Eastern Canada, returned to her home here on Tuesday.

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Mrs. J. K. Stewart visited Victoria on Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Nicholls have visited Nanaimo.

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At the recent examination of probationers at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Miss Violet Porter passed third in a class of thirty.

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Miss Cissie Collis is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thicke.

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Mrs. C. H. Price, of Westholme, has returned to her home from the King's Daughters' Hospital, Duncan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Garner have returned from Vancouver, where they spent a holiday as the guests of Mrs. Garner's parents.

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Miss D. Carter, of Kamloops, is visiting friends at Westholme.

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At a recent party given for the members of the Crofton Sunday School, all the prizes were donated by the ladies of the sewing circle.

While the Flying Scotsman, the de luxe limited train, was speeding seventy miles an hour from Edinburgh, Scotland, to London recently, a baby was born to Mrs. Minifed Scott, of Edinburgh, who was travelling alone in one of the compartments.



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Major and Mrs. Cedric Hay, Moss Street, were hosts at a delightfully arranged tea party on Sunday afternoon in honor of the latter's sister, Mrs. A. E. C. Studd, of Vancouver. Among those present were Sir Frank and Lady Barnard, Colonel and Mrs. C. C. Bennett, Mrs. Archer Martin, Colonel the Hon. F. G. Hood and Mrs. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Squire, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Davis, Mrs. Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Angus, Captain and Mrs. Thorpe-Doubble, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ashburnham, Miss D. Ashburnham, Mrs. K. Harper, Captain and Mrs. W. G. Colquhoun, His Honor Judge Lampman and Mrs. Lampman, Mr. Basil Prior, Mr. Basil Hood, Colonel and Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. Norman Payne, Mr. E. E. Blackwood and Mr. and Mrs. Saxton-White.

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Dance Held

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spencer, 685 Beach Drive, was the scene of a delightful dance on Saturday evening, when the guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Gravlin, Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bracken, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Lawrie, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hubbart, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sinnott, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. C. Penzer, Mrs. H. Gage (San Francisco), Mrs. Linklater, Miss R. Jenkins, Mrs. Clifford Warn, Miss Gwendolyn Spencer, Miss M. Daniels, Mr. F. Sommer, Mr. W. Semeyn, Mr. Gordon, Mr. H. Russel and Mr. F. Francis.

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Reservations Heavy

With sixty-two tables reserved for the bridge and mah jong party to be held under their auspices this afternoon at the Shrine Hall, View Street, the Women's Canadian Club annual effort on behalf of its bursary fund is assured of success. The name of Mrs. G. Bucklin was yesterday added to the list of tea hostesses who will preside at the tables in the banqueting hall when tea is served at 4:30 o'clock, and when tea guests will be welcomed. Other hostesses will be Mrs. S. F. Tolmie, Mrs. H. Anscomb, Mrs. S. J. Plaskett, Mrs. P. H. Elliott, Mrs. J. C. F. Hyndman, Mrs. H. P. Hodges, Miss Agnew and Miss Cann. Bridge and mah jong play will begin promptly at 3 o'clock.

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Discuss Legend

Mrs. E. C. Hayward, 2470 Bowker Avenue, entertained in an original manner at the tea-hour last Friday, when a group of Miss Marjorie Lane's friends gathered to discuss over tea an old Breton legend which inspired the verse which Miss Lane used in her characteristically artistic Christmas card to convey her Yuletide greetings. A number of interesting versions of the legend of the Ys were the result, and proved very informative and entertaining. Mrs. Hayward was assisted during the tea hour by her daughter, Miss Florence Hayward.

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Married in Kamloops

The marriage took place at Kamloops on January 2 of Norah Margaret Trotter, only daughter of Mrs. A. Trotter, of this city, and Mr. George Edwin Hanington, only son of the late Mr. W. A. Hanington, of Saint John, N.B., and Mrs. W. B. Foster, of Avola, B.C. Rev. J. Kennedy officiated.

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Parties for Visitor

Several parties are being arranged by Victoria hostesses in honor of Mrs. E. A. C. Studd, of Vancouver, during her visit to Mrs. Norman Payne, Oliver Street. On Saturday night Mrs. Lorne Campbell, St. Charles Street, was hostess at a dinner party for her, followed by bridge.

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Back from California

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Bucklin and family have returned from California, after spending the Yuletide with their daughter, Miss Mary Bucklin, who is attending school there.

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Return Home

Mrs. A. R. Merrix and Miss Paula Merrix, who have been staying at the Forest Inn, Shawnigan Lake, have returned to their home in Victoria.

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Leaves for Lillooet

Mrs Malcolm Bell-Irving has left to spend a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. O. M. Jones, at Lillooet, B.C.

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Leaving for Seattle

Major and Mrs. Cedric Hay are leaving this afternoon for Seattle, where they expect to visit for about ten days.

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H.M.S. Resolution Chapter

H.M.S. Resolution Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. A. W. McKenzie, 1608 Hampshire Road, at 8 o'clock.

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Jubilee Hospital W.A.

The regular sewing meeting of the Jubilee Hospital W.A. will be held tomorrow in the Nurses' Home at 2 o'clock.

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Spent Week-End Here

Miss Wilna Luxton, of Vancouver, spent the week-end in the city.

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At Forest Inn

Mrs. D. T. Forbes, of Victoria, is spending a week at the Forest Inn, Shawnigan Lake.

Returns Home After Visiting China



—Photograph by Knight

MISS SHEILA GILLESPIE

Eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gillespie, of this city, who returned yesterday after spending the past few months in China, where she was visiting her uncles, Mr. Ronald and Mr. Sholto Gillespie.

Saanich Liberal Ball

South Saanich Liberal Association announce that the annual dance will be held on Friday, January 31, in the Foresters' Hall, Cormorant Street. A good orchestra will provide the music and a buffet supper will be served under the direction of the ladies' committee. Full dress will be optional. This event will be under the patronage of Mr. T. D. Pattullo, M.P.P., Liberal leader; Mr. C. H. Halloran, Federal Liberal candidate, and many other prominent Liberals. Tickets may be obtained from members of the Association.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont



By its insistent demands for public attention and approval, suede has at last come into its own. Now we see coats and suits for daytime wear fashioned of this soft, pliable leather, and they have refused to stay in the realm of sports wear, where they were so long relegated.

This dull red suede coat is individualized by its soft treatment. The one-sided capelet and scarf give an impertinent air, which is belied by the soft shirrings at the shoulders. This shirred treatment appears also in the pocket and the sleeves, and a schoolgirlish touch is imparted by the buttons extending down the front. A matching cap is worn with the coat, which is one of the most distinctive garments that has appeared this season.

Society Notes From Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Doors of the Quadra Club were thrown open this afternoon for the first reception in the club's new quarters, at Burrard on Seton Street. Several hundred members and their friends attended the affair, which was marked by charming informality. Tea was served from tables in the dining-room.

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Holds Reception

Mrs. James W. Hackett entertained at a large reception at her home at Kensington Place on Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. George Robertson Hackett, formerly Miss Edith May Ferguson, of Toronto, whose marriage was one of the important social events of the Winter season. The tea table, spread with an exquisite cloth of point de Venise lace was centred with Talisman roses and paper white narcissi in a silver bowl. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. Victor MacLean, Mrs. Robert Harwood, Mrs. Wilfred Stoess. Ices were cut by Mrs. Reginald Prenter and Mrs. Robert Gordon Marshall.

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Consular Corps Entertains

Vancouver's Consular Corps entertained on Thursday evening at a dinner party at Hotel Georgia, later attending "The Bachelor Father," the play of the Guild Players.

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On World Tour

Mr. and Mrs. George Trorey left today on the Empress of Asia for Honolulu, and will later travel through China, Japan and India, via the Suez Canal to Southern Europe. They will sail from Cherbourg early in July and after visiting Washington and New York, will motor across the continent to their home in this city. A large number of parties have been given for Mr. and Mrs. Trorey during the past few weeks.

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Goes to Victoria

Mrs. E. A. C. Studd is visiting Mrs. Norman Payne in Victoria.

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For Mrs. Howe

For Mrs. Howe, of Minneapolis, who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Major-General and Mrs. A. D. McRae, Mrs. J. W. Ker entertained at a bridge luncheon, and Mrs. Blake Wilson entertained for her at luncheon on Wednesday.

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To Go East

Mr. Richard Wyllie, who recently returned from Victoria, is leaving in the near future for Montreal.

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Leaves for Toronto

Mrs. Gordon Flavelle has left for Toronto, where she will spend the next few weeks.

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Returns From Toronto

Mr. Edward Mulqueen, who spent Christmas in Toronto, has returned to this city.

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Farewell Party

Honoring Mrs. C. W. Kirk, Mrs. James Young and Miss Beatrice Kirk, Mrs. Herbert Fullerton entertained at luncheon on Thursday prior to their departure for Honolulu.

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Tea Hour Hostess

Mrs. Allen Tynan entertained at the tea hour on Thursday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. J. D. D. Broom. Others present were: Mrs. Arnold Birks, Mrs. J. P. Bilodeau, Mrs. James Rear, Mrs. Kenneth Burns and Mrs. Gordon Budge.

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Honeymooning in Victoria

Mr. and Mrs. William Ernest Ryder Dudgeon are spending their honeymoon in Victoria and later will make their home in Kelowna. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. R. J. Sproule, of this city, and a graduate nurse of St. Paul's Hospital, and bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dudgeon, of Rutland.

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Leave for Victoria

Mr. and Mrs. C. Beverley Cox are spending some time in Victoria.

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Returns Home

Mrs. R. W. Creighton Blair has returned to her home in this city after spending the past few months in England.

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Goes South

Mrs. Ivan Denton and her two children will spend the next few months in Hollywood.

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Returns Home

After spending the past few days in Victoria, the guest of her uncle and aunt, Hon. and Mrs. S. L. Howe, Mrs. Carnahan has returned home.

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Tea Hour Hostess

Miss Dorothy Bell entertained at the tea hour on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Grace McGaw's birthday.

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Hosts at Musicale

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaux entertained this evening at a musicale at their home at Quilchena.

Keating Personals

The South Saanich Junior Institute Club met at the home of Miss Mable Miller, Saanichton, on Thursday evening. An interesting feature of the evening was a demonstration by Mrs. R. E. Nimmo on the making of shortbread.

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Miss Janet Sherring and Osmond Sherring are visiting in Port Angeles as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cameron.

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Miss Hilda Styan has returned to Longworth, B.C., where she will resume her teaching, after spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Styan.

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Mrs. H. Lawrie was hostess to the old and new directors of the South Saanich Women's Institute at her home, Giles Crossroad, on Wednesday afternoon, when a directors' meeting was held to settle up old and arrange new business.

JUNIOR MUSICAL CLUB ENTERTAINED

The junior section of the Ladies' Musical Club was entertained on Saturday night at "Roseboro'," Moss Street, by Mrs. J. O. Cameron, founder and patroness of the organization. Music and games formed the evening's entertainment, which was much enjoyed by the forty-two students who were present.

Those taking part in the impromptu musical programme were Violet and Geraldine Mellor, two sub-teen-age girls who played a piano duet very charmingly; Miss Barbara Fraser and Mr. Brian Burdon-Murphy, who contributed piano solos. Mr. Desmond Burdon-Murphy moved the vote of thanks to the hostess for her kindness in showing such sincere interest in the junior section of the Ladies' Musical Club.

Assisting with the entertainment of the younger members were Mr. and Mrs. Aldous, who showed much originality in devising games; and Miss Dumbleton, representative of the Ladies' Musical Club, was also very active in the arrangement of the details.

Alert Bay Socials

Miss Watt is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. K. Prosser, at Christ Church Rectory, while she is in the Bay on Sunday school business.

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Miss Beverley Chambers has left on the Princess Mary to return to Crofton House School, Vancouver, after spending the Christmas vacation at Alert Bay.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Halliday and Miss Jean Halliday, of Kingcome Inlet, were visitors in Alert Bay this week en route to Vancouver.

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Mrs. Clark entertained at tea on Friday for Mrs. Robson, who is shortly leaving Alert Bay.

AT SUNSET INN

The following guests stayed at the Sunset Inn Lodge, Qualicum Beach, during the week ending January 13: Mr. and Mrs. Hewett, Miss Nillie, Vancouver; Mr. E. Farmer, Mr. R. Farmer, Miss Saunders, Brigadier-General and Mrs. Noel Money, Victoria.

South Pender, Saturna

A most enjoyable fancy dress party was held on Friday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crane entertained in their home at Camp Bay for their daughters and son, the Misses Marjorie, Mary and Barbara and Master Alan Crane. The evening was spent in dancing and playing games. Added to this was a short children's play, conducted by Mr. Charles Biggs. Taking part were Mr. Charles Biggs, Wymond Spalding-Irving, Arthur Pender, Ann Pender and Hope Irving. The other guests were as follows: Mrs. Spalding, Mrs. Higgs, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Spalding, Mrs. Parkyn, Mr. Pender, Mrs. Spalding-Irving, Mr. Deerden, the Misses Eileen, Kathleen, Dorothy and Violet Georgeson, Miss Rosie Conery, Masters, Darrel, Norman, Georgeson, Edgar and Alan Conery.

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Mrs. Conery left for Victoria on Tuesday.

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Mr. McCall, of Vancouver, visited South Pender on Thursday in his boat Service.

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Mrs. Crane, with her son Alan, went to Victoria on Monday.

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Miss Tobin returned to South Pender on Tuesday, after spending the holidays in Victoria.

Metchosin Personals

Mr. H. C. Helgesen and his brother, Mr. T. S. Helgesen, were passengers Sunday on the Ruth Alexandra. They intend to make an extended visit to friends in California.

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A most successful card party was given on Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Baxter, "Deefoot Lodge," under the auspices of the Luxton and Happy Valley W.I., when more than fifty persons were present, Mr. John Trace being master of ceremonies. The living-room was artistically decorated with arches of greenery. Bridge, five hundred and whist were played, the prize winners being: Bridge, first prize, Mrs. W. O. Guy and Mr. O. R. Johnston; low, Mrs. R. J. Murray and Mrs. W. Wright (playing gentleman); five hundred, first prize, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey; low, Mrs. G. M. Piercy and Mr. J. Hopwood; whist, first prize, Mr. and Mrs. Heath. Following the cards there was an impromptu dance, Messrs. G. D. Anderson and Heath supplying the music. Mrs. Baxter was assisted by members of the institute in serving refreshments.

Government restrictions requiring that proprietors run their establishments are handicapping the establishment of drug store chains in Italy.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM



The girl friend says she wonders if the flasks she reads about flappers carrying are parked in the floppy overshoes they are wearing?

Variety Entertainment

For the purpose of raising funds toward the building of a Parish and Cummunity Hall at Courtenay, a group of artists from that enterprising little city is advertising a variety entertainment to be given in Christ Church Memorial Hall on Friday, January 17, at 8 p.m.

The programme, in part, includes songs by Mrs. Tribe, and by Mrs. Lacom, of Denman Island; also a quartette in which Mrs. Harvey was to have taken part, but as she is unfortunately prevented by illness from appearing, Miss F. Moore is kindly substituting for her, and assisting Mrs. Tribe and the Revs. E. O. Robathan and O. Bourdillon. The skit, "The Proverbial Triangle," will be presented by Mrs. Heber Cooke, Rev. E. O. Robathan and Pat Ellis.

Mrs. Harvey's part in the sketch, "Between the Soup and the Savory," will be taken by Mrs. H. Nelson, and Mrs. Hall will appear in it and will also give a monologue. Miss K. Moore contributes a dance. Victoria artists are assisting in the programme, which promises a varied and high class entertainment. It is hoped that the visitors will be encouraged by a good attendance, to assist in making their laudable undertaking a success.

Ucluelet, Long Beach

Mr. R. Sudderland is spending a holiday in Victoria and Vancouver.

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Mr. G. Hillier left for Vancouver for a short time, where he will visit friends.

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Mr. Edwin Lee, of Victoria, spent the vacation in Ucluelet visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee.

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Mr. George Miller, of Kildonan, spent the holiday in Ucluelet with his family.

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Mr. J. S. Alexander spent the last two weeks in Alberni.

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Miss J. Binns has returned to Duncan after spending the vacation visiting her parents.

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Mr. D. McDevitt has returned to Ucluelet after visiting in Vancouver.

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Mr. A. Baird has returned after visiting in Port Renfrew and Victoria.

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Mr. Straith, of the Experimental Station, has been a guest at the Bayview Lodge.

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Mr. F. Riggalle has returned to Wreck Bay after the holiday.

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Mrs. E. Lee has left for Victoria for a few weeks.

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Rev. Ardagh-Walter was in Ucluelet to hold services over the week-end, but returned to Tofino.

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Mr. Lyle, of Victoria, has been a visitor at the Bayview Lodge for some days.

Skater at Beaver Lake

Among the skaters at Beaver Lake on Sunday afternoon was Miss Mae Fielding, Canadian professional lady skater, who recently returned to her native town, Victoria, to reside with her sister, Miss Violet Fielding. Her demonstration of fancy skating was much admired by the hundreds of skaters present.

Colwood Socials

A very successful dance was held in the Colwood Hall on Friday evening by the members of the Colwood Optimistic Club. The hall presented a colorful scene with the attractive decorations which had been carried out by the young members. Mr. G. M. Pilley acted as M.C. Refreshments were served under the convenership of Mrs. G. M. Piercy and Mrs. E. Shields, who were assisted by other ladies of the district.

ASSISTED AT CONCERT

The name of Miss Thain was inadvertently omitted from the account of the banquet tendered the Tuberculosis Veterans. The pleasing manner in which she provided the music for the community songs, added much to the enjoyment of the evening.

ENTERTAIN BOXER

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harper, Crease Avenue, had as their guests on Saturday evening, Mr. Jack Townsend of Vancouver and his two sons, Mr. Billy Townsend, lightweight champion of Canada, and Mr. Jas. Townsend, and Chris. McCardy, all of whom are en route to California.

VICTORIA WOMAN'S POETRY PUBLISHED

In the current London Quarterly, "Poetry of Today," Victoria readers will find some special interest in the four poems by Mrs. Harvey Lineham, of Vancouver. Mrs. Lineham before her marriage, was Miss Margaret Hopkins, of Victoria. She has contributed on various occasions to different Canadian and American periodicals, among them The Lariat and The Canadian Bookman, and with his letter of acceptance the editor of "Poetry of Today" sent Mrs. Lineham a personal letter of congratulation on her work.

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Between Twelve and One

By VERNON LODER

CHAPTER XVII (Continued)

Roughly calculatting the time at which Cobham might arrive, if he started at nine o'clock, Clive Merton hung about on the only lane leading to the house until half-past twelve.

He was not in the best of tempers as he waited. He puffed gustily at a pipe, struck off the heads of many unoffending flowers with his stick, and gloomed into space.

He was wondering what Cobham thought he knew or had discovered. The whole thing would worry Mary. It would worry her father still more if it came to his ears. Lunch was at one end, even if that policeman came now, he could hardly be in time for it. That would mean a troublesome explanation.

It was twenty-five to one when he heard the sound of a fast approaching car, and looked up the lane. In half a minute a car came in sight, driven by a policeman in plain clothes, and containing the redoubtable superintendent.

Clive waved his stick, and the driver hastily put on his brakes. The car slid to a standstill, and Cobham rose in his seat to see what had stopped them.

"Oh, it's you, Mr. Merton," he cried, opening the door and hopping out briskly.

"I came to meet you," said Clive; "I didn't want my host to know that you were coming."

"Oh, that's all right," said Cobham. "We can have a stroll about." He turned to the driver, told him to wait till he returned, and nodded towards the distant cliff.

"Let's go along there, sir. There is sure to be a path. Here's a gate. We can cut across this field."

They passed through the gate and Clive turned to his companion somewhat impatiently.

"What is the matter now?"

Cobham took a sidelong glance at him. "I saw Professor Demetrius the other day, sir. I am sorry to say that he is not the man I expected."

"What do you mean?"

"I mean bluntly, sir, that he carried on like a madman, and when I consulted an expert he assured me that the professor has been very eccentric for some time."

Clive shrugged. "That may be. But very eccentric people have made good before now."

"I know, sir. It is not that. I heard from the same very sound source that his process is a laughing-stock among the gentlemen who are in the know. They admit that he is a clever man, a great man once, but they say he has had his head turned by the war."

"Beastly for us," said Clive bitterly, "but you didn't come all the way here to tell me that, did you?"

"No, sir," said Cobham, with the sort of indulgent tone one uses to a fractious child. No, sir, by no means.—Only, as you had hopes of reconstruction, I thought you would like to know."

Clive nodded. "Much obliged, though it is the sort of news a prisoner gets when he is told he is to be hanged!"

Cobham smiled.

"We won't talk about hanging, sir, if you please. But you are right, sir. I didn't come here merely to tell you that. I wanted to ask you a question or two regarding your connection with Cupolis."

Merton gave him a sharp glance. "Very well. What do you want to know?"

"Where you meet him, sir, and when, and if you had much to do with him. Like the others, I think you agree he was very fascinating Mr. Mand, who has now gone off to that post in town, says Cupolis seemed to know exactly the subject that would interest the man he was speaking to. Did you find so?"

Clive reflected. "Let me take those questions in order. When did I meet Cupolis first—I think it was about a year and a half ago. Yes. A man called Heal had met him and introduced me. I know now that Heal is a friend of Miss Glenn's father, so I suppose that is how he got to know him too."

"Is this Mr. Heal a sound man?"

"Absolutely, and a wealthy man. No one could suspect him of being in league with Cupolis," said Clive decidedly. "As to the fellow's being very clever in getting at you, I agree with Mand. When we met first, Cupolis was very full of yachting. He talked of buying a boat and asked me to give him hints. I suppose I was ass enough to be flattered."

"Is that the only time you saw him?"

"I met him once after that at Heal's Club. That was the time I heard of the new process and agreed to invest. I imagine Heal also put some money into it."

They were now on the clipp path, and Cobham looked out to sea and spoke in a very casual voice.

"Ah, he was cunning. He found Mand was fond of music and old furniture and played on that string with him." He turned very suddenly and added: "I suppose you are not interested in old furniture, Mr. Merton?"

Clive did not reply at once. He looked hard at Cobham, as if asking himself where the catch was, and then frowned a little.

Not especially. I suppose like any other educated man I like seeing a good piece, though I don't know anything about the real points."

Cobham looked at him very innocently. "The old gentleman who owns Tendon Oaks has some fine pieces there," he commented. "Did you notice the furniture in your bedroom, the chairs with the wheel backs and one odd one with straight up and down—"

Clive interrupted him resentfully. "Look here, superintendent, I am not an utter ass! If you are trying to get some information from me, why not put it to me frankly?"

"I was only wondering if you noticed that odd chair, sir," said Cobham, looking far more surprised than he felt. "It struck me as being a fine thing of its kind."

Clive snorted. "My dear fellow, I can see you are after something. If it is any satisfaction to you I did not notice any chairs, odd or even."

"You are sure of that, sir?"

Clive smiled. "Ah, I thought you were after something! But just think it over! I arrived to find that Cupolis was not to be seen; on the day down some of us had been wondering if anything was wrong. After dinner we were told the worst, and next morning we hear that Cupolis has been murdered. In those circumstances, do you expect me to have noticed what kind of chairs were in my bedroom?"

Cobham nodded, then changed the subject without apology? "Do you still stick to it that Mr. Mand snores? He denies it altogether."

"Well, I heard him."

Cobham shook his head. "A day or two ago Sergeant Smith and I made an experiment. It proved to us that it is impossible for a sound of that kind to be heard from your room when the door is closed. I suppose you did not leave your door open?"

"No," said Clive shortly.

"On the other hand," said Cobham quietly, "I think you must have been deceived by some sound outside.

One of the servants told me some of the gutters on the eaves make odd sounds in heavy storms, gurgling and grunting sounds. That must have been what you heard."

Clive shrugged. "Well, if Mand does not snore, and a snore cannot be heard in my room, then I suppose you are right. But it sounded like snores."

Cobham turned on his heel and began to walk back. "It's wonderful how confusing noises are in an old house at night," he said. "Well, sir, I have not kept you from your lunch, I hope. It is near one now, and I must get back."

Clive smiled faintly. "I hope you are wiser, superintendent."

"A great deal, sir, I hope," said Cobham.

(To be Continued)

RETURN TO GOLD HIGHLY LAUDED

Looked on in Japan as Being Significant of High Standard of Country's Financial State

By WARD PHELPS

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TOKIO, Jan. 13.—The embargo on exports of gold bullion, which has been in force since 1917, was lifted today, constituting one the most important political and economic events in Japan in recent years. Related to this development is the amazing fact that Japan has a gold cover of 94 per cent, which is by far the greatest proportion of any country.

Economically, withdrawal of the gold ban signalizes emergence from the period of panic and depression which reached its peak in the financial break of 1927, but which existed for several years previously as the aftermath of Japan's great war-time prosperity.

Politically, it means that Premier Yuko Hamaguchi is able to keep his promises, maintaining a public confidence which is expected to give party, the Minseito, a commanding majority in the Lower House of the Diet when the impending general elections take place.

PREMIER HAS MINORITY

Premier Hamaguchi came into power last July with a minority following in the House. His main policies were retrenchment and the lifting of the gold embargo. Statements made by Premier Hamaguchi and Finance Minister Katsunoske Inouye reflect great optimism at the time this step is being taken. They declare the Government is entirely prepared for the event, but ask continued co-operation of the public in effecting the retrenchment policies.

Reactions in the business world are not expected to be serious. The Japanese recently established credits in London and New York which they are hardly expected to need. Also, Japan's 94 per cent gold coverage, could easily be reduced by half without causing a depreciation in currency.

Among the preparatory steps made was the arrival of 2,000,000 yen ($1,000,000) in gold bullion, in Tokio late yesterday from the Osaka mint. The consignment was conveyed without mishap to the vaults of the Bank of Japan under the protection of a guard whose strength would have been considered wholly inadequate in any large American city.

U.S. Publishers Talk of Getting Paper of Europe

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Development of European sources of newsprint with a view to obtaining cheaper paper than can be secured in Canada or the United States, is being considered by the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, according to the current issue of Editor and Publisher.

A plan for placing European newsprint on the market here by increasing the capacity of mills and improving the quality of paper produced was presented at a recent meeting in the New York headquarters of the association. The plan involves the investment of American capital in mills in Norway, Sweden and Finland by a group of American bankers.

Burns Club to Have Scottish Programme

The monthly meeting of the Burns Club today will be favored by a recital entitled "Scottish Song and Story," by Mrs. Mary McCoy Jameson. This subject will be specially interesting to a Burns Club audience, and Mrs. McCoy Jameson is particularly fitted to make it so.

Two important presentations are to be made during the evening, one to the club and one by the club. Following the recital there will be a social.

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Overture, "Fingal's Cave," Mendelssohn.
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Mary Frances James, lyric soprano.
John Goss, rollicking singer of English Chanteys.
Madame F. X. Hodgson, dramatic contralto.
"The Order of Good Cheer," Romantic Ballad Opera, incorporating old French sea songs in the days of Champlain and the early explorers of Canada.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17

Overture, "Plymouth Hoe."
"Bound for the Rio Grande," Sea Chantey Ballad Opera.
B.C. Morris Dancers.
Gertrude Huntly Green, pianist.
Herbert Heyner, celebrated English baritone.
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SATURDAY, JANUARY 18

Overture, "Pirates of Penzance" (Sullivan).
Amphion Choir of Seattle.
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Mary Frances James, lyric soprano.
John Goss, rollicking singer of English Chanteys.
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At The Playhouses

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Gloria Swanson Makes Appearance in All-Dialogue Picture, "The Trespasser"

Gloria Swanson broke her cinematic silence and spoke from the screen for the first time when "The Trespasser," her initial all-dialogue United Artists' picture, opened at the Dominion Theatre last night.

Miss Swanson reveals a stage voice that is a boon to jaded critics. Her tones are rich and well modulated—and quite in keeping with the role of the lady of refinement that she essays in "The Trespasser." Another revelation is Miss Swanson's soprano singing voice. That she well might have succeeded on the concert stage is indicated in her singing of the two numbers that give lyrical heights to the feature. One of the pieces is Toselli's "Serenade," a standard work. The other, "Love," was composed especially for Miss Swanson by Edmund Goulding, author, and director of "The Trespasser."

In writing and directing "The Trespasser," Edmund Goulding has worked out a new technique in talking pictures. He tells his story simply and naturally—but packs it full of drama at every turn, with the result that the entire cast follow Miss Swanson's example in giving noteworthy portrayals.

STIRRING SCENES DUE AT CAPITOL

"South Sea Rose" Will Be Presented at Capitol for Brief Showing

Stirring romance intermingled with sparkling comedy and tuneful musical interpolations make Lenore Ulric's new starring Fox Movietone all talking feature, "South Sea Rose," one of the most satisfying entertainments ever offered at the Capitol Theatre. In fact, it is believed to be one of the finest talking films ever brought to any screen. It plays at the Capitol today and Wednesday only.

The piquant star of countless Belasco stage successes delineates a vivacious French girl living in a convent situated on an island in the South Seas. She is the spirit of the natives, exercising her madcap mischief in her frenzy to free herself.

The irresistible charmer of every white man who visits the island becomes an innocent victim of a plot she herself creates and she is smuggled on an outgoing vessel by a young sea captain who tricks her into marriage. Always cunning and never shying at adventure, the tempestuous maid from the tropics gives a crew of seamen and a seaside community a lifetime of worry, but also keeps them interested.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE John Francis Nattleford, author of "Light Fingers," the all-talking crook melodrama which is now showing at the Playhouse Theatre, is ideally suited to writing crook stories. After graduating from Columbia University, he spent several years as a court reporter on a New York newspaper, coming in contact with many well-known underworld characters. Since then he has specialized in writing underworld stories.

COLISEUM THEATRE The story of a circus clown who fell in love with his ward is told in "Painted Faces," starring Joe E. Brown, now showing at the Coliseum Theatre. An excellent supporting cast includes Helen Foster, Barton Hepburn, Dorothy Gulliver, Lester Cole, Sojin, Mabel Julienne Scott, Alma Bennett, Purnell Pratt, Walter Perry and many others. Francis Hyland wrote the story around Beppo, a clown acrobat whose chief joy in life is his little ward, Nancy. This touching and dramatic picture of circus love is bound to have a successful week's run at the Coliseum Theatre, where it will be produced on the talking machine.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Director Allan Dwan now knows how it feels to be imprisoned in the unlighted depths of a dungeon. During the filming of the scenes in the underground chamber of the Palace of St. Germain in Douglas Fairbanks' new United Artists Picture, "The Iron Mask," now showing at the Columbia Theatre, the studio fire siren sounded. The crew of electricians immediately extinguished all lights and ran to the scene of the conflagration. When the blaze in the studio garage was stopped, the "juicers" returned to their posts and the scene was resumed.

VARIETY THEATRE Raymond Toby Leitch and the Toby Leitch Players scored the most spectacularly brilliant hit of their Victoria career at the Variety Theatre last night when they presented Charles Harrison's big comedy drama success, "The Awakening of John Slater," to an enthusiastic audience. Love, romance, hilarious comedy and tense, gripping drama are all combined in this fascinating heart story of human life which opens with a rural setting and transports the listener to surroundings of luxury in New York City. The play was written expressly for Toby Leitch by the eminent author, the man who wrote "Saintly Hypocrites and Honest Sinners" and a score of big stage successes. In the part of the red-headed rural comic—the role he originated—Toby is seen at his most brilliant best.



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AMUSEMENTS

SCREEN

Capitol — Lenore Ulric in "South Sea Rose."
Coliseum — "Painted Faces," starring Joe E. Brown.
Columbia—Douglas Fairbanks in "The Iron Mask."
Dominion—"The Trespasser," featuring Gloria Swanson.
Playhouse—Ian Keith in "Light Fingers."

STAGE

Variety—The Toby Leitch Players offer "The Awakening" of John Slater."
Crystal Garden — Swimming and Dancing.

GORDON McLEOD ANNOUNCES PLAN

"The Crooked Billet" Will Be Presented at Popular Prices by English Company

"A superb cast" is the sobriquet awarded to the Gordon McLeod English players, by the Canadian press from East to West. Headed by Gordon McLeod, whose fine performance in "The Ringer" will readily remembered, this compa will commence a season of famou London and New York plays a popular prices, at the Royal Victoria on Monday. The personnel of this company consists of Miss Lilian Christine, a leading English actress already well known here; Herbert Leonard, who is responsible for "The Crooked Billet" production, has starred in the piece in the principal theatres in the Old Country, and will appear in his original role of the doctor. Ernest Bodkin, is a former leading player with Matheson Lang, whose splendid portrayal of "Meister," the crook lawyer in "The Ringer" stands out strongly.

Claude Balley, a popular Jeune Premier in London and the provinces, notably in "The Show Boat," has he led a cast of over a hundred players. Roland Gillet is a most promising graduate from the famous Cambridge Footlights Club and leading English tours. Dudley Somerville's excellent characterization of "Hacket," the cockney crook in "The Ringer" will be fresh in mind. Miss Maude Blaye in a character role makes her initial appearance here. Harcourt Aubrey will assist Roland Gillet on the stage staff which is under the direction of James McGrath, who has been associated with many world famous names in various tours. Margaret St. Barbe-West, daughter of the well known London actor of the same name, was seen here recently as "Mary Lealey" in "The Ringer," who, with Anne Farrer, completes the acting cast.

The business side of the organization is represented by Mr. C. Mydleton-Evans, who is well known to many Victorians.

ROYAL TO HOUSE NOTED COMPANY

Gordon McLeod's English Players Will Open There Next Monday in Series of Stage Plays

The Gordon McLeod English Players completed yesterday arrangements with the lessee to take over the Royal Victoria Theatre for the legitimate drama, effective immediately, the first show to be staged next Monday.

It was announced by Mr. C. Mydleton-Evans, business manager, that the opening play would be "The Crooked Billet," and several other attractive features would follow, farce, melodrama and similar selections to satisfy every taste, selected from successful productions in the great centres of population.

Mr. McLeod has gathered an attractive company around him, including Miss Lillian Christine, Miss Margaret St. Barbe-West, Miss Maude Blaye, Miss Ann Farrer, Ernest Bodkin, James McGrath, Herbert Leonard, Claude Bailey, Roland Gillett, Dudley Somerville and Harcourt Aubrey.

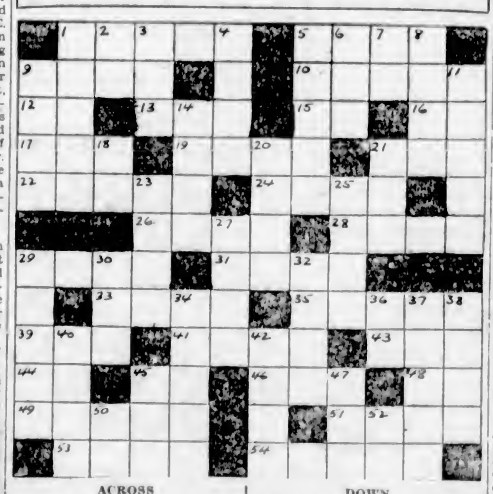
Particular stress is laid by this company on its uniform capacity, general high level of dramatic talent being sought rather than concentration on one or two stars. The result has been that during the present Canadian tour the press has described the company as a "superb cast."

Special attention is to be given to providing entertainment at popular prices.

COUNCILLOR HAGAN CRITICIZES BY-LAWS

Giving an account of his work as a councillor for Ward Six, Saanich, Councillor L. C. Hagan, who was re-elected by acclamation yesterday, addressed the ratepayers at Keating Hall last night, and criticized the school money by-laws, and had something to say about the secession movement. He thought the school board was offering Ward Six a small school, and to him it looked like a bait to catch their votes. He asked the ratepayers to turn out and vote on these by-laws so that the people would know where they stood. In connection with secession, he recited the circumstances leading up to it, and what had happened after. It was not settled yet by any means. A lot of promises had been made, but unless they were fulfilled all their trouble in getting out the petition would be fruitless.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1. Show mercy.
5. Examination.
9. Foray.
10. Angel in "Paradise Lost."
12. Occupied with.
13. A parent.
15. Prefix: into.
16. Collegiate degree (ab.).
17. Observe.
19. Doctrines.
21. A month (ab.)
22. Hymn.
24. News paragraph.
26. Requests.
28. Rodents.
29. French coin (pl.).
31. English school.
33. Avoid.
35. Poplar.
39. Anger.
41. Heavenly body.
43. Swedish coin.
44. Father.
45. Card game.
46. Maintainer of a doctrine.
48. Isle near La Rochelle.
49. Mohammedan commander.
51. Old measure.
53. Worship.
54. Speaker.

DOWN

1. Satisfies.
2. Ratio of circumference to diameter.
3. Increase.
4. Terminates.
5. Search.
6. Vessel.
7. Two (Roman).
8. Indian ox.
9. Filelike tool.
11. Nigerian seaport.
14. Purposes.
18. God of Babylon.
20. Fog.
21. Chalice.
23. Whip.
25. Sea eagles.
27. English county.
29. Pilfer.
30. Employ.
32. Paddles.
34. Lending at interest.
36. Italian river.
37. Mistake.
38. Require.
40. Incline.
42. Helps.
45. Meadow.
47. Attempt.
50. Comparative suffix.
52. Whirlwind off the Faroe Islands.

ANSWER TO SUNDAY'S PUZZLE

R	O	S	T	E	R	A	S	H	E	S
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Court of Appeal

Victoria Sittings

Vivian (Respondent) vs. B.C. Electric Railway Company, Limited (Appellant) — Respondent entered one of appellant's street cars in Vancouver, at a point beyond the ordinary stopping place of the car. The car started, and, while respondent was standing on the rear platform in order to deposit her fare, the driver stopped the car suddenly. Respondent was thrown from the platform through the doorway into the car. She claimed damages for resulting injuries. There was no allegation that respondent was to blame, nor complaint as to the construction of the car. The driver had stopped his car suddenly to avoid running into a tie which was lying on the track. The trial judge found that the accident happened because the tie was lying on the track. The tie was the property of the appellant. It evidently came from a pile of ties placed by appellant's servants beside the track. He found that the lights were not good, and held that the burden was on appellant to show how the tie got on the track and that appellant was not negligent. It was quite clear that there was ample opportunity for a stranger to come on to the ground and carry off ties from the pile and drop one. The company had not given any explanation which would lead to the conclusion that someone other than appellant's servants had placed the tie where it was found. Judgment was given for respondent. The Court of Appeal reserved judgment.

Mr. J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., for appellant; Mr. L. H. Jackson, for respondent.

Peremptory list for today: Coleman (R.) vs. Interior Tree Fruit and Vegetable Committee of Direction (A.). R. Lawson (R.) vs. Interior Tree Fruit and Vegetable Committee of Direction (A.). A. C. Lawson (R.) vs. Interior Tree Fruit and Vegetable Committee of Direction (A.). McLean (R.) vs. Fletcher (A.); Hall (A.) vs. Geiger (R.). Clark (A.) vs. McKenzie (R.)

Prince Rupert Fishermen Will Get New Floats

Mr. J. P. Forde, district engineer for the Federal Department of Public Works, is back from Prince Rupert after arranging for work to be started on new fishermen's floats east of the drydock there.

The job, being undertaken by John Currie & Son, will involve an expenditure of approximately $17,000 and is to be completed by March 31 to facilitate fishermen landing their catches.

While at Prince Rupert, Mr. Forde made a trip to Port Washington to inspect a new landing float recently completed. He also made arrangements for berthing space for the Government snag boat.

ARTISTS ARRIVE FOR SEA FESTIVAL

Feature of First Performance Will Be "Bound for the Rio Grande"

Four prominent music critics from San Francisco and Los Angeles will arrive in Victoria today for the Sea Music Festival, it was announced today by Harold Eustace Key, music director for the Canadian Pacific Railway, who is directing the four-day musical event.

They are Mrs. Clover and Mrs. Mattocks, Los Angeles, and Miss Blenner and Miss Ossman, of San Francisco, and will be joined later by David Craig, of Seattle, and a number of dramatic writers from Vancouver.

With the exception of Mrs. Gertrude Huntly Green and Mrs. F. X. Hodgson, all the artists who will appear in the festival are now in Victoria, and have been busily engaged in rehearsals for the past few days. The latest arrivals include John Goss, famous English singer of sea chanteys; Herbert Heyner, English baritone; Ulysse Paquin, French-Canadian basso; the D.O.K.K. Quartette from Vancouver and William Dichmont, accompanist.

The feature of Wednesday evening's performance, Mr. Key said, will be the ballad opera "Bound for the Rio Grande." Those who saw this presentation in Vancouver last year at the Sea Music Festival, he pointed out, will be delighted with the many additions and novel features now incorporated in Captain Wallace's playlet.

"It is around this operatta as a focal point, that the entire spirit of the festival revolves," said Mr. Key, "recalling as it does the splendid old sea songs of a day when Great Britain's greatness depended on her maritime supremacy, and when Canada itself ranked high among the nations as a sea power.

"One of the rarest of musical literatures is being allowed to slip into oblivion," Mr. Key went on, "and I cannot help but feel that in the revival and presentation to the people of North America some of the gems of the early sea songs we are rendering a service of real merit to the musical culture of the nation.

"That the people of Canada appreciate to the full the rare beauty of the old folk songs has been made plentifully evident through the series of festivals undertaken by the Canadian Pacific Railway," Mr. Key said. "Helping as they do to retain a balance of sanity in our national musical expression, they are also preserving a historical record that must make its effect felt in many other ways. The Victoria festival, I am convinced, will be fully up to the standard of other similar affairs held in nearly every large city in Canada in the past."

The Victoria Ladies' Choir will hold its practice tonight at 8 o'clock at the New Thought Temple Hall, 720 1-2 Fort Street.

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TWO PROPOSALS OF MAYOR ARE NOT ENDORSED

Council Declines to Ask Legislature for Power to Borrow Given Sum Over Ten-Year Period

NO ACTION TAKEN ON OTHER PROJECT

The City Council last night declined to endorse two proposals recommended by Mayor Herbert Anscomb.

His Worship advocated that the city ask the Legislature at its forthcoming session to give it power to borrow a given sum of money to be spent over a period of ten years, such borrowings to be made in each year in which the work is undertaken, and that the sinking fund be spread over 80 per cent of the life of the work. Such power would enable the city to proceed with specific work over a specific period, but, of course, the approval of the ratepayers would have to be given before any borrowing for such work was made.

The Mayor also urged that the city apply to the Legislature for authority to enable it to rescind the time-honored custom of requiring the endorsement of the whole council for expenditures of $50 and over, and that committees be empowered to spend necessary moneys within the limits of their estimates for the period.

There was considerable discussion by council members on these two suggestions, but no motions in support of either were made.

WINTER SHOW OF RABBIT BREEDERS

The British Columbia Rabbit Breeders' Association announces that all arrangements are now made for the sixth Winter Rabbit Show, to be held in the Rabbit Building at the Willows, commencing, January 20, and continuing three days. In addition to the City Challenge Cup and other trophies that are competed for annually, some new cups have been donated, and in addition a fine lot of special prizes. Added to these special prizes, 70 per cent of the entry fees will be paid out as cash prizes in all classes of four or more entries, on the basis of 40 per cent for the first, 20 per cent for the second and 10 per cent for the third.

An innovation in connection with this exhibition is the manner in which children's exhibits will be handled, it having been decided to award cash prizes for each breed instead of the different breeds being mixed as in the past. This has been made possible by generous contributions from supporters. The prize lists are now prepared and can be obtained on application to the show superintendent, Mr. E. Greenwood, 3237 Cedar Hill Road, telephone 8054L, or the secretary of the association, Mr. W. G. Bird, telephone 7659L2. Copies are being mailed to all members, and others who have applied for them.

Judge White, of La Conner, Wash., has been appointed to place the awards.

Two Double Features

Joe E. Brown
In
"Painted Faces"
SECOND FEATURE
"Word and Music"
ALSO
Fox Sound News

Prices: 30¢, 20¢, 10¢
Doors Open 6:15
Show 6:30

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Douglas Fairbanks
in
"THE IRON MASK"
—Also—
NEWS COMEDY
COLUMBIA

CAPITOL

Owing to an error in our Sunday Colonist advertisement "The Virginian" was advertised to play at this theatre Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The management wishes to state here that this picture will be shown here on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and "South Sea Rose" today and Wednesday.

Today and Wednesday
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Charles Bickford and Farrel McDonald
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All-Talking! All-Star Cast!
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Today and Wednesday
Gloria Swanson
In Her First All-Talking and Singing Picture
"THE TRESPASSER"
Added 100% Attractions
See and Hear
LAUREL AND HARDY
In the All-Talking Comedy
"Night Owls"
MOVIETONE NEWS
Usual Prices
ALL NEXT WEEK
GEO. ARLISS
in
"DISRAELI"
An All-Talking Triumph

CHAS. F. HARRISON'S COMEDY DRAMA
"The AWAKENING of JOHN SLATER"
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Musical Concert
Reserved seats, 25c; unreserved, 25c (including dancing privilege)
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January 20
Mats., Wed. and Sat.—Eves., 8:30; Mats., 2:20
Gordon McLeod English Players
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POPE WRITES ON EDUCATION TOPIC

Affirms That Right to Education Rests Primarily With Church, After Family and State

By RALPH E. FORTE
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ROME, Italy, Jan. 13.—Pope Pius' official viewpoint on the subject of education, a delicate topic of discussion between the ecclesiastical and state authorities of Italy, is broadcast in an encyclical which Osservatore Romano, official organ of the Vatican, has just published.

The Pope categorically affirms that the "right to educate" belongs primarily to the church, while the second and third claims to this right belong respectively to the family, according to the laws of nature, and to the state, which must limit itself to developing the common welfare, the administration of preparatory schools and the Fascist militia's programme for public offices.

All exaggerations in the physical and military education of children must be forbidden, says The Encyclical, which exhorts attempts to harmonize the state's civic programme with the spiritual authority of the church, so that proper scientific and didactic liberties may be reconciled with the rights of teachers and pupils.

The Pope dwells at length on sexual education and its dangers.

The encyclical ends with a statement of the Azione Cattolica's mission in the educational field.

In order that the world may know the Pope's views on this subject, the document is being translated into all modern languages.

Will Be Soloist Over C.N.R. Chain Today



MURIEL BRUNSKILL

Miss Muriel Bronskill, one of the two leading contraltos of Great Britain, will be heard throughout the Dominion when she appears over the Canadian National Railways hook-up tonight from 7 to 9 o'clock Pacific standard time. Station CNRV, Vancouver, will bring this broadcast to Pacific Coast listeners.

Radio Programmes

By Courtesy of Radio Doings

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m; 630k)—7.30 a.m., The morning market trends from the stock room. 6 p.m. The closing market quotations from the studio. 6-15, The Sunset Trio offers the following hour of classical music over CFCT. The overture to "Titus" (Mozart); the second suite from "Carmen" (Biset); a concert waltz, "A Summer Evening" (Waldteufel); a suite, "From India," and the intermezzo, "Poudree" (Popy); "The Dance of the Jewels," from La Gioconda" (Ponchielli). 7-15, The nightly announcements period: "What's Doing in Town"; Garden Bulletin; the official weather report and forecast; "Scrap Book"; the West Coast Information Service; correct time signal. 11, Crystal Garden Orchestra will be heard from the south ballroom over CFCT until midnight.



National Broadcasting Company—9.45-10 a.m., Betty Crocker Gold Medal Home Service talks 10.30-11.30, "Woman's Magazine of the Air." 3.45-4.15 p.m., Voters' service. 4.15-4.30, Universal Safety Series. 5.30-6, "Around the World With Libby." 6-7, Eveready hour. 7-7.30, Cliquot Club Eskimos. 7.30-8.30, Radio-Keith-Orpheum hour. 9.30-9.45, Amos 'n' Andy. 9.45-9, John and Ned. 9-10, The Concert Album. 10-11, Spotlight Review. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance orchestra.

KFI, Los Angeles (468.5m; 640k)—2.30 p.m., Hell's Chinese Orchestra. 3.30, Marcella Burke, the Hollywood Tattler. 3.45, Wedgewood Newell. 4.30, Big Brother. 5, Baron Keyes, "The Story Man." 5.45, Stock market reports. 6, Eveready hour. 7, Cliquot Club. 7.30, Radio-Keith-Orpheum hour. 9.30, Song recital. 11, KFI News Bureau.

KOL, Seattle, Wash. (236.1m; 1,270k)—12 noon-12.30 p.m., Popular melodies. 1.30-1.30, Kiwanis luncheon. 1.30-2.30, Popular programme. 2.30-3.30, KOL Matinee. 3.30-4.30, Happy Hawaiian Trio. 4.30-5, Mr. Fixit and news items. 5-6, Service hour. 6-6.30, Dinner hour programme. 6.30-8.35, Studio programme. 8.55-7, Blocks. 8-9.30, Mary and Willie Baxter. 8.30-9, Hugh Barbour, Merle Storm, Carroll Mills. 9-9.30, Ken Stuart in "Thirty Minutes of Sunshine." 9.30 p.m.-12 midnight, Billy Sherwood with a revue of KOL artists.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (535.4m; 560k)—2-3 p.m., Symphonic records. 3-3.30, Alice Blue, Dorothy Nichols. 3.30-4, Broadway tunes. 4-5, Home Towners. 5-6, Brother Bob's frolic hour. 6-6.30, Sterling Cosmopolitans. 6.30-7, Twilight hour. 7-7.30, Joint recital. 7.30-9.30, Melody Masters. 8.30-9, Herb Scharlin, singer and pianist. 9-10, Melody Masters. 10-11, Silver Slipper Dance Band. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Variety hour. 12 midnight-1 a.m., Slumber Chaser.



WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THAT? SHOT RIDDLED AND STILL ALIVE.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (309.1m; 970k)—1 p.m., Records. 5-45, Radio Nature Club. 6, Harmony Aces; Eulala Deen, blues. 7, Orpheus Quintette. 8, Gold and Silver Trio. 9, Concert ensemble. 10, Vic Meyers' Club Victor. 11, Dance music.

KFO, San Francisco (440.9m; 680k)—2.10-3 p.m., Aeolian Trio. 3-4, Toreadors. 4-4.30, Bridge lesson. 4.30-4.50, Theodore Strong, organist. 4.50-5, Stock market quotations. 5-5.50, Children's hour. 5.50-6, "Scotty" Mortland. 6-7, KFO Salon Orchestra. 7-8, North Americans. 8-9, Musical Capers. 9-9.10, Cecil and Sally. 9.10-10, California Creoners. 10-11, Theodore Strong, organist, with Elmer Herling, baritone. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, San Franciscans.

KSL, Salt Lake City, Utah (263.9m; 1,136k)—5 p.m., Novelty instrumental and vocal programme. 5.30, "Around the World with Libby." 6, Eveready hour. 7, Cliquot Club Eskimos. 7.30, Radio-Keith-Orpheum hour. 8.30, Amos 'n' Andy. 8.45, Utah Instrumental Quartette. 9, Mixed quartette and instrumentalists in variety programme. 9.30, Concert. 10, Claude Kiffa Tavern Band. 11, Request hour.

KFRC, San Francisco (401.8m; 610k)—2-3 p.m., Happy-Go-Lucky hour. 3-3.15, Beauty talks. 3.15-3.30, Recordings. 3.30-4, Educational period. 4-4.50, Matinee Melody Masters. 4.50-5, Recordings and town topics. 5-5.30, Sunset Ensemble. 5.30-6, Edna Fischer, pianist. 6-7, Paul Whiteman's Orchestra. 7-7.30, "Jo and Vi." 7.30-8, Remer Twins. 8-9, Pacific States Savings programme. 8-9.30, Modern Melodists. 9.30-10, Captain Adams' programme. 10-10.10, "Frank Watanabe." 10.10 p.m.-12 midnight, Val Valente's Orchestra. 12 midnight-1 a.m., Dance music.



KNX, Los Angeles (285.5m; 1,050k)—10.30-11 a.m., Household economics. 11 a.m.-12 noon, Country Jane, vocalist. 1.30-2 p.m., The Bookworm. 2.30-4, Organ recital. 4-4.30, Courtesy programme. 4.30-5, C.F.R.'s musical programme. 5-5.15, Travelogue. 5.15-5.45, Brother Ken's kiddie hour. 5.45-6, Town Crier's amusement tips. 6-6.30, Organ programme. 6.30-7, KNX Ensemble, directed by Margit Hegedus. 7-7.30, Talk on "Popular Science." 7.30-8, Recording programme. 8-9, Tom and his mule Hercules. 9-9.30, "Ro-A-Tone" broadcast. 9.30-10, Feature programme. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, Hotel Ambassador Cocoanut Grove Orchestra. 12 midnight-1 a.m., Dorado Silver Fizz dance hour.

BETTER, PERHAPS

While on a walking tour a man found himself skirting the borders of a very large estate. After covering some distance he came to an isolated cottage, where he made inquiries as to the chance of a meal. The old lady was quite agreeable and asked him what he would prefer. "Could I have a couple of poached eggs?" asked the traveller.

"I'm sorry," replied the woman, "that I have no eggs, but" (here she whispered confidentially) "I can give you a good dinner of poached pheasant."

C.N.R. Announces Change Next Week In Entertainment

WINNIPEG, Jan. 13—Changes in the broadcasting arrangements of the Canadian National Railways for Tuesday and Thursday of next week have been made necessary on account of the illness of an artist, E. A. Weir, director of radio, announces. The programme on Tuesday will be broadcast from Montreal from 6 to 7 o'clock (Pacific standard time), when a famous Welsh tenor will be the guest artist in a programme broadcast over the coast-to-coast network. The Thursday programme will originate in Toronto, beginning at 6 p.m. (Pacific standard time). Muriel Brunskill, celebrated English contralto, will be the soloist. Miss Brunskill comes to Canada to broadcast for the Canadian National Railways and she comes with a splendid reputation as a singer in opera on the concert stage and on the radio circuit. Merlin Davies' artistry is summed up in the words "perfect singing in His Majesty's chapel, Royal Windsor, and the professorship of singing conservatorium."

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DELAY PROPOSED OF PEACE PARLEY

China Likely to Ask Postponement of Meeting to Arrange Term of Peace With Soviet

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HARBIN, Manchuria, Jan. 13.—The Chinese have asked that the conference with Russia to liquidate the Chinese Eastern Railway dispute be postponed one month until February 25, according to the White Russian newspaper Zarya.

The nominal reason given for asking for the postponement is China's inability to prepare adequately for discussion on the January date originally set. It is believed here, however, that the real reason is China's hope to have its position strengthened by February by the cessation of civil war in the South and the consolidation of Nanking's position, so that China will be able to make a stronger stand.

Meanwhile rumors report that both Russia and Japan are manoeuvring for a favorable position in projected big scale developments in Manchuria. Japan is reported as working to get concessions from Chang Hsueh-Liang, Governor of Manchuria, including a railway westward from Taoan to the Solun Mountains, as well as a strategic line eastwards from Tunhua, with connections to the Korean coast paralleling the Chinese Eastern Railway. This would injure the commerce of Vladivostok and is supposedly supported by the Chinese.

American Consul George C. Hanson has sent American business firms here notice to the effect that China's "abolition" of extraterritoriality does not, in the view of the State Department, alter the legal status quo.

NEW WESTMINSTER SELLS NEW BONDS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13—The New Westminster Harbor Commissioners have sold $700,000, 4½ per cent twenty-year bonds to the Royal Financial Corporation. The bonds are unconditionally guaranteed as to principal and interest by the Dominion of Canada, and are payable in Canada and New York. Tenders were called for by the Department at Ottawa, and the local house was the highest bidder. The bonds will be retailed at 97.50, yielding 4.96 per cent.

QUITE ALL RIGHT

"Tom," said the squire, to a lad picking mushrooms, "be sure you don't pick a toadstool instead of a mushroom; they are easy to confuse."

"That be all right, sur, that be!" said the lad; "us ain't a-goin' to eat 'em ourselves—they're going to market."



CANADA'S Export Trade Stands on a Sound Foundation



EACH YEAR IT GROWS IN VOLUME AND IMPORTANCE TO EVERY COMMUNITY IN THE DOMINION

Comparative Figures 1928 and 1929 First Ten Months

A perfunctory glance at the export figures of Canada during the past year gives the impression of a general downward trend. Analysis shows, however, that the reverse is true.

Due to conditions which no one can control, the export of raw material, mainly grain and grain products, shows a decrease of $70,700,000.

But, on the other hand, exports of goods, manufactured or partly manufactured, show an increase of $46,500,000, which is at the rate of 9.4%.

The trend of the year's activity in export trade is clearly in the direction of increased exports of manufactured or partly manufactured goods, while the export of raw materials has declined considerably.

Exports For First Ten Months of 1929 Compared with First Ten Months of 1928

	1928	1929	+increase −decrease
Goods, fully or partly manufactured (except flour)	$470,582,601	$514,985,409	9.4%+
Other commodities	209,767,048	224,789,418	7%+
Wheat	304,170,889	200,310,311	51%−
Other grains	34,944,278	18,842,430	85%−
Wheat flour	51,444,533	45,707,655	12%−

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EXPORT business now provides more than two million Canadians with their livelihood. So vast has Canada's foreign trade become, that nearly a quarter of our population depend upon it for what they eat and what they wear; for their homes, their savings, their comforts and their luxuries. Export trade exerts its beneficence in every Canadian community and on every Canadian farm.

Roughly, a third of our total annual production—to a value of $1,363,700,000—is shipped to other lands. Per capita, Canadians are the second largest exporters in the world.

ON A SOLID FOUNDATION

Because it is *Profitable Business*, Canadian effort year by year is more actively directed towards supplying markets abroad. Our export trade stands on a solid foundation. Our goods are in demand. Last year no less than 411 new business agencies in foreign lands were opened by our Trade Commissioners on behalf of Canadian manufacturers and producers. Our exports have become highly diversified. More than 600 distinct classes of commodities are embraced, and the list is ever expanding. Our goods are finding their way wherever trade routes lead.

IN REMOTE LANDS

Think for a moment of this diversification, and see how our people are blazing the trails of business all over the world. Here are some examples: Fence Wire for New Zealand, Automobiles for India, Lanterns for East Africa, Builders' Tools for Fiji, Agricultural Implements for Sweden, Wallpaper for Chili, Box Shooks for Egypt, Ice Cream for China, Milk for Honduras, Leather for Hong Kong, Fish for Dutch East Indies, Rubber Tires for Czecho-Slovakia, Canvas Shoes for the Straits Settlements, Flour for Portuguese East Africa, Machinery for Brazil, Motor Trucks for Mesopotamia, Radio for Argentine.

The ground is well prepared for still further expansion. Will you take advantage? Canada's 32 Trade Commissioners abroad are constantly drumming up new markets. Wherever a Trade Commissioner's Office has been opened, without exception there has been an increase in trade. The demand for Canadian goods is growing in every country where we are represented.

HOW CANADIANS CAN HELP

It remains, however, for Canadians to grasp the larger opportunities offering. Producers and manufacturers can help our export in several ways:

1. Producing the kind of commodities other countries want.
2. Maintaining production so as to assure continuity of supply.
3. Keeping all products up to rigid standards.
4. Becoming familiar with business methods abroad.

This is Canada's business. It is every citizen's business, because the more goods Canada sells abroad, the more certain and the more ample will be her continued prosperity.

GET LATEST INFORMATION

In addition to the Trade Commissioners' Offices throughout the world, the Department of Trade and Commerce maintains at Ottawa a highly specialized Commercial Intelligence Service. The sole duty of this organization is to assist exporters. If you have an export problem, first write the Commercial Intelligence Service. Up-to-date information will be provided and your business will be facilitated in every way possible.

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"RUGGERS" SEEK CONTROL OF ATHLETIC PARK

Vancouver and Portland Chalk Up Victories in Pacific Coast Hockey League

Lions Down Seattle 5-3; Buckaroos Hand Cubs 4 to 1 Setback

Leacock Nets Lone Marker for Orphaned Ice Crew—Vancouver Takes Lead in First Period and Are Never Headed

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pt.
Vancouver	9	4	4	36	19	22
Portland	9	5	2	22	13	20
Seattle	6	7	4	27	33	16
Victoria	3	11	2	24	37	8

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13.—Vancouver Lions took Seattle Eskimos into camp here tonight by a 5-3 score in a Pacific Coast Hockey League fixture. The Lions jumped into the lead less than a minute after the game started and by the end of the first period were three goals up on their opponents. They added a tally in each of the second and third periods. The Eskimos counted two in the middle session and one in the final.

Lions played without Doug Brennan or Don Cummings, but with the assistance of Ken Williamson, of Victoria, were good enough to outspeed the Eskies and keep them at bay. Sandy Sanderson was one of the big factors in the Vancouver victory. The Kenora flash was here and there on the ice in record time. He skated through for two goals and assisted Red Beattie to secure another one. The latter added two points to his total by assisting Sandy once and getting one himself.

The Eskimos tried hard enough, but they could not get through on Jackson often enough. The veterans from the Sound City just could not compete with the Lions when it came to the pinches. They showed spurts of energy, particularly in the second period, when they had the edge for a time, but these little bursts were not enough.

The Line-Ups

Vancouver		Seattle
Jackson	Goal	Winkler
J. Jerwa	Defence	Benson
Arnott	Defence	Daly
Beattie	Forward	Walker
Sanderson	Forward	Brown
P. Jerwa	Forward	Anderson

Vancouver Subs.—McAdam, Dunn and Williamson.

Seattle Subs.—Harris, Sutherland, Savage and Reinnika.

Referee—Mickey Ion.

Summary

First Period—1, Vancouver, Sanderson, :43; 2, Vancouver, Beattie from Sanderson, 1:04; 3, Vancouver, Williamson, 5:05. Penalties: Harris, Brown and Benson.

Second Period—4, Seattle, Sutherland from Walker, 1:42; 5, Vancouver, Sanderson from Beattie, 2:26; 6, Seattle, Brown, 1:42.

Third Period—7, Vancouver, Arnott, 2:14; 8, Seattle, Reinnika from Brown, 11:21. Penalties: Brown, McAdam and Dunn.

SEVEN STRAIGHT

Tonight's was Portland's seventh straight victory but the Bucks failed to lift themselves from second place, Vancouver having defeated Seattle, while the locals were taking the league orphans down the line.

After a scoreless and fairly even first period Portland got down to business and during the second period dented the net twice, while Victoria was executing the same manoeuvre once. It was just forty-three seconds after the period opened that Conn, Portland skipper, picked up a neat pass from Gordon Teel and whipped the rubber past Goalie Robertson. That started the Bucks on their way and six minutes later the fans were treated to one of the prettiest exhibitions of puck-carrying ever witnessed locally.



ERNIE LEACOCK

The final session, the wildest of the three, saw the romping Bucks ride roughshod over the Cubs for two more counters. With the period half gone, "Big" Jack Pratt carried the puck the length of the ice, shook off virtually the entire pursuing Victoria team, split the Cub defence wide open and slipped the puck past Goalie Robertson so fast that he did not even see it. Four minutes later the veteran Joe McGoldrick dropped in another on a pass from Teel just for good measure.

The game was fast and exceptionally clean. The only penalties dealt out were of the minor variety.

The Line-ups

Victoria		Portland
Robertson	Goal	Aitkenhead
H. Runge	Defence	Pratt
Redpath	Defence	McGoldrick
Evans	Centre	Conn
Kelly	Wing	Teel
P. Runge	Wing	Lyons

Victoria subs—Lowe, Leacock, Osmundson.

Portland subs—Armstrong, Burke, Huffman, Coupez.

Referee—Meeking.

First period—No score. Penalties: Pratt, Leacock, Osmundson, Kenny.

Second period—1, Portland, Conn from Teel, :43; 2, Portland, Lyons, 6:09; 3, Victoria, Leacock, 1:51. Penalties: H. Runge.

Third period—4 Portland, Pratt, 10:11; 5, Portland, McGoldrick from Teel, 4:07. Penalties: Pratt, Huffman, Armstrong, Redpath, Coupez.

BOSTON BOWS TO AMERICANS

New Yorkers Chalk Up 3-2 Victory and Break Fourteen-Game Winning Streak of Bruins

FISTS FLY IN CHICAGO MATCH

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Displaying a remarkable defensive game, the humble New York Americans broke the fourteen-game winning streak of the Boston Bruins, champions and leaders of the National Hockey League, with a 3-2 victory last night.

The unexpected triumph was all the more remarkable because it was the second in two nights for the Americans, of the International group.

The Line-Ups

Americans — Worters, Simpson, Brydge, Himes, McVeigh, Sheppard.

Boston—Thompson, Shore, Hitchman, Barry, Oliver and Galbraith.

American Subs — Holmes, Boyd, Massacar, Burmeister, Patterson, Conacher and Relse.

Boston Subs — Owen, Clapper, Weiland, Gainor, Mackay, Hutton and Carson.

Officials—Mallinson and Dennefy.

Summary

First Period—1, Boston (Mackay), 9:08.

Second Period—2, Boyd (Holmes), 4:59; 3, Americans, Sheppard (McVeigh), 1:51; 4, Boston, Weiland (Clapper), 6:35; 5, Americans, Sheppard (Himes), 2:12.

Third Period—No score.

COUGARS WIN

DETROIT, Jan. 13.—Detroit's Cougars were on the long end of a 3-2 National Hockey League game with the Pittsburgh Pirates here last night, the Cougars winning after three periods of slow and uneventful play that saw most of the action crammed into the final minutes.

The Line-Ups

Detroit—Beveridge, Noble, Hicks, Hay, Goodfellow and Aurie.

Pittsburgh — Miller, McKinnon, Spring, Milks, Jarvis and Darragh.

Detroit Subs.—Rockburn, Hughes, Cooper, Lewis, McCabe, Connors and Bellefeuille.

Pittsburgh Subs.—Fraser, Briden, White, Lowrey, Barton, Manners and Smith.

Officials—Ditchie and Suave.

Summary

First Period—1, Detroit, McCabe (Aurie), 9:45; 2, Detroit, Noble (McKinnon), 17:10.

Second Period—No score.

Third Period—4, Detroit, Hay, 6:45; 5, Pittsburgh, Briden (Darragh), 19:15.

ROUGH BATTLE

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—In a rough battle, enlivened by three fist fights by players, the Chicago Black Hawks defeated the New York Rangers 2-1 last night and replaced them as second place opponents in the N.H.L. race. Duke Dutkowski scored the winning tally for the Hawks, unassisted, thirty-five seconds before the end of the game.

The liveliest skirmish came near the end of the second period when Bill Cook and Art Somers fought for fully two minutes before they could be separated. They were given match penalties, forcing their teams to play the twenty minutes of the last period with a five-man limit.

The Line-Ups

Chicago—Gardiner, Abel, Dutkowski, Somers, Couture and Gottselig.

New York—Roach, Taylor, Johnson, Bill Cook, Bun Cook and Boucher.

Chicago Subs. — Ripley, March, Arbour, Adams, Wentworth, Cook, Graham and Ingram.

Ranger Subs.—Bourgeault, Foster, Thompson, Murdoch, Keeling, Goldsworthy and Heximer.

Officials—Cleghorn and Batstone.

The Summary

First Period—No score.

Second Period—No score.

Third Perid—1, Chicago, Gottselig, 4:45; 2, New York, Boucher, 11:15; 3, Chicago, Dutkowski, 19:25.

LISTER HEADS RUGBY LEAGUE

Fraser Lister, Rugby coach of the Oak Bay High School, was appointed president of the Intermediate Rugby League at a meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union. The appointment followed a recommendation from the league.

FOURTH ROUND OF CUP GAMES IS ANNOUNCED

Three Good Matches Assured — Arsenal Plays Birmingham—Blackburn Rovers Oppose Everton

WEST HAM UNITED WILL MEET LEEDS

LONDON, Jan. 13. — (Canadian Press Cable).—At least three fine matches are assured by the draw for the fourth round of the English Football Association Cup competition made and announced today. They are Arsenal vs. Birmingham, at Highbury; Blackburn Rovers vs. Everton, at Blackburn, and West Ham United vs. Leeds United, at Upton Park. Villa plays Walsall and should win, even though the match is being played at Walsall. Sheffield Wednesday is drawn against Oldham Athletics, and the relative merits of these two fine clubs, the former leading the First Division and the latter runnerup in the Second Division, will get an exhibition. Manchester City tangle up with a replay with Tottenham Hotspurs and if they win must meet Swindon Town.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The draw for the fourth round of the English Football Association Cup competition, to be played January 25, was made today and announced as follows:

Walsall vs. Aston Villa.
Nottingham Forest vs. Fulham or Bournemouth and Boscombe.
Newcastle United or York City vs. Clapton Orient.
Arsenal vs. Birmingham.
Swindown Town vs. Tottenham Hotspurs or Manchester City.
Blackburn Rovers vs. Everton.
Bury or Huddersfield Town vs. Sheffield United.
Corinthians or Millwall vs. Doncaster Rovers or Stoke City.
Portsmouth vs. Brighton and Hove or Grimsby Town.
Hull City vs. Blackpool.
Wrexham vs. Bradford City.
Derby County vs. Bradford.
Sunderland vs. Cardiff City.
Oldham Athletics or Middlesbrough vs. Charlton Athletics or Queen's Park Rangers.
West Ham United vs. Leeds United.

The draw for the first round of the Rugby League Cup, made today, was announced as follows:

Widnes vs. Bradford.
Featherstone vs. Halifax.
Salford vs. Wigan Highfield.
St. Helen's vs. St. Helen's Recs.
Leeds vs. Fetherstone Rovers.
Wigan vs. Broughton.
Hudderafield vs. Warrington.
Cottingham Craigwen vs. Leigh.
Dewsbury vs. Rochdale.
Swinton vs. Wakefield.
Castleford vs. Bramley.
Keighley vs. Great Clifton.
Battley vs. Hull-Kingston.
Barrow vs. York.
Hunslet vs. Oldham.
Hull vs. Bickershaw Hornets.
First named clubs are the home teams. The games will be played on February 8.

Gene Tunney Has Second Operation

NEW YORK, Jan. 13. — Gene Tunney underwent an operation at the Presbyterian Hospital for removal of a large stone from the right kidney. The operation was performed at 2 p.m. by Dr. George Winthrop Fish, physician to the retired heavyweight boxing champion.

It was learned that this is the second operation performed in an effort to correct the kidney condition. On Wednesday Tunney underwent a similar operation which failed to remove the obstruction.

Chip Shots Call for Firm Wrists



By SOL METZGER

Glenna Collett brings out some interesting points in playing the chip shot that are of special interest to women golfers. She, of course, believes in the low follow through; in taking the club back with the left wrist; and in stroking forward with the right and then letting the arms and hands go out after the ball following contact.

But Miss Collett stresses the need of firm wrists in playing this shot, both during backswing and follow through. What a fine tip this is for women to follow. Pros tell me that women invariably grip too loose. And after being cautioned about this fault they are likely to go to the other extreme.

Practice alone will teach each one just the amount of firmness to use in the grip. So much has been said and written about relaxation that many duffers get into the habit of gripping too loosely. Next, another tip by Glenna.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - - - By Ripley



EXPLANATION FOR SUNDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

Mr. "X"—Some time ago, while Mr. X was living in the Eastern part of the United States, his original name was so common that he and the others of the same name experienced a great deal of trouble with exchange of mail, etc. He officially changed his name to Mr. X, and has gone by that name since. Mr. X now lives at 564 Santa Clara Avenue, Berkeley, Cal.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

BATTING HONORS WON BY FONESCA

Carries Off American League Batting Crown With Lowest Mark Since 1914

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Lew Fonesca, discarded to the minors four years ago by the Philadelphia Nationals, won the 1928 American League batting championship with the lowest average since Ty Cobb turned the trick way back in 1914. The veteran Cleveland first baseman, official averages reveal, batted 566 times in 148 games and collected 209 hits for a .369 average, which was ten points less than the championship average made by Leon "Goose" Goslin, of Washington, in 1928, and one more than Cobb's low mark in 1914.



AL SIMMONS

Al Simmons, of the champion Philadelphia Athletics, was second with a .365 mark, while Henry Manush, of St. Louis, runner-up to Goslin in 1928, finished third with .355.

GOSLIN DROPS

Goslin was far down the list of leaders for the season, his average dropping ninety-one points to .288.

Aided by the big bats of Hellmann and Alexander, the Tigers easily won the team batting championship, hanging up a .299 average, three points higher than the Athletics, who were second, and three points higher than the mark set by the Yankees, who won it in 1928. The Yankees finished third in 1929 with a .295 total.

RUGBY UNION NAMES DELEGATE FOR BIG MAINLAND MEETING

Bob Travis and Bob McInnes, managers of the Canadian Scottish and J.B.A.A. Rugby fifteens, respectively, were named delegates of the Victoria Rugby Union to the meeting of the British Columbia Rugby Union in Vancouver on Saturday, January 25, at a meeting of the local union held last night.

The revised constitution of the British Columbia Union was discussed and the suggestion that both a Vancouver Island and a Mainland delegate, representing schools here and in Vancouver, be added to the executive of the provincial body, will be submitted at the meeting to be held on January 25.

Tiff Denton Wins

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Tiff Denton, Kansas City veteran, defeated Augie Kleckhefer, of Chicago, 50 to 40, tonight in a play-off of a tie for fourth place in the national three-cushion billiards championship.

Local Cagers Chalk Up Wins At Shawnigan

Two Victoria basketball teams journeyed to Shawnigan Lake on Saturday and succeeded in winning both their games. The Colonist defeated Shawnigan 30-22, while the Red Birds defeated Shawnigan Lake girls, 10-6.

Both games were keenly fought affairs with the Victoria clubs having a slight edge.

The teams and individual scores follow:

Colonist—Rutledge 8, Borde 3, Pillar 4, Radford 10, Stewart 1, Bissell, Smith 4.

Shawnigan Lake—Lewington 10, Neff, Elford 6, Lewington 2, Gibson 2, Luckovich, Cronk 2, and Yates.

Red Birds—Milligan 5, Wellburn 3, Elwards, Lee 2, and Boyce.

Shawnigan Lake—Hawking 4, Gibson, Luckovich, Last 2, and Luckovich 2.

Not Wanted Among His Souvenirs



By AL DEMAREE
(Former Pitcher New York Giants)

The average dyed-in-the-wool baseball fan will risk the price of a suit of clothes and hat, besides the possibility of sundry cuts and bruises, in a mad scramble for a baseball hit into the grandstand or bleachers.

The only two baseballs I know of that were ever returned after falling into a crowd of fans are the ones Babe Ruth hit for his sixtieth home run in 1926 and the home run Jimmy Foxx hit into the centre field bleachers in Chicago during the late Cub-Athletic world series.

Ruth offered twenty-five dollars for the return of his record shattering wallop and another autographed ball to replace it.

The home run Foxx hit in the world series broke up a pitching duel between Ehmke and Hoot and fell into the hands of a loyal Cub rooter who was so disgusted with the turn of events that he threw the ball back to the field with utter loathing.

FALCARO CHALKS UP ANOTHER WIN

World's Champion Pin Spiller Registers Third Successive Victory in Big Tourney

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Joe Falcaro, world's match game champion, chalked up his third successive victory in an all-star round robin bowling tournament here yesterday, beating William (Dutch) Cliffe of Utica, N.Y., 2,283 to 1,833.

Falcaro had sixty-seven strikes, thirty-six spares, four splits and one error; Cliffe had thirty strikes, sixty-three spares, nine splits and three errors.

In the second match of the day Cliffe lost to Jimmy Smith, of Chicago, 1,955 to 1,812. Cliffe had twenty-eight strikes, sixteen spares, twelve splits and two errors. Smith had forty-five strikes, fifty-one spares, nine splits and one error.

In the final game last night, Charlie Daw of Milwaukee, was beaten by Smith 2,031 to 1,886. Smith had forty-eight strikes, fifty spares, nine splits and no errors. Daw, forty-five strikes, forty-nine spares, nine splits, six errors.

WEST INDIES PUT ON 338 RUNS FOR EIGHT WICKETS

BRIDGETOWN, Barbadoes, Jan. 13 (C.P. Cable).—The first test match between a touring cricket team representing England and the West Indies began here yesterday. West Indies won the toss and batted first, putting on the fine score of 338 runs for eight wickets before stumps were drawn for the day.

Roach reached three figures, his 122 being the fine effort for the West Indies.

HOCKEY STADINGS

Canadian-American Hockey League

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Providence	12	6	2	26
New Haven	8	8	4	20
Boston	7	9	4	18
Philadelphia	8	8	4	17
Springfield	7	11	1	15

American Hockey Association

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Duluth	7	5	9	23
Kansas City	9	6	5	23
Minneapolis	8	8	5	21
St. Louis	7	7	6	20
Tulsa	6	6	9	19
St. Paul	4	8	8	16

International Hockey League

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Buffalo	13	5	2	28
Cleveland	10	2	7	27
Detroit	11	4	4	26
Windsor	11	6	4	26
London	10	8	2	22
Hamilton	5	11	3	13
Niagara Falls	3	15	1	7
Millionaires	3	15	1	7

Minor Hockey Results

Canadian-American League

New Haven, 2; Providence, 1.

American Hockey Association

Tulsa, 2, St. Louis, 2 (overtime).

Singer Throws Too Many Gloves For Georgie Day

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Al Singer, New York lightweight, technically knocked out Georgie Day, of New Haven, in the third round of their ten-round bout at St. Nicholas Arena tonight. The referee stopped the one-sided struggle after two minutes and eight seconds of the third round to save Day from a worse beating.

Singer weighed 134½, and Day, 136¾ pounds.

Ask Council for Five-Year Lease Of Playing Field

Rugby Union Officials Submit Proposal for Taking Over Grounds Each Year From September 15 to April 15

Control of the Royal Athletic Park grounds during the Winter months for the next five years, is sought by the Victoria Rugby Union.

A delegation from the Rugby Union, composed of Captain W. G. Coventry, president of the British Columbia Rugby Union, and a member of the executive of the Victoria Rugby Union, and Mr. Phil E. Willis, secretary of the Victoria Rugby Union, met the City Council last night, and laid the above request before it.

The Council, after listening to the representations, referred the Union to the Royal Athletic Park committee of the Council, to take up the proposal with that committee.

Captain Coventry, spokesman of the deputation, said the Victoria Rugby Union wished to secure control of the Royal Athletic Park from September 15 to April 15 each year for a period of five years. He said Rugby football was on the upgrade, not only in Victoria, but throughout the Dominion. Three Rugby matches had been played at the park since December 1 and these games had netted the city the sum of $250.

WILLOWS UNSUITABLE

"The British Columbia Agricultural Association has loaned us the Willows grounds, but these are not suitable from a spectators' standpoint. Also they are not satisfactory when teams from outside the city are playing. There are no hot showers on the grounds, which means that the visitors, after playing the match, have to go back to their hotel before they can secure the use of a shower. I understand that hot showers are being installed at the Royal Athletic Park," Captain Coventry said.

The speaker stated that next September a Japanese Rugby team would visit Victoria and two matches would be played; there would also be several tests here prior to the sending of a provincial Rugby team to the Empire games at Hamilton, Ont., and efforts were being made to bring a Rugby team out from the Old Country to play matches in the Dominion. "However, we now have no grounds to call our own. We want to have a proper field on which Victoria can be proud to entertain its visiting teams."

Captain Coventry said the Rugby Union would need the Royal Athletic Park only on Saturdays, and for some practices on Wednesdays. The Union was in a sound financial position. Arrangements regarding the finances of the scheme could be made with the Royal Athletic committee, he suggested, and the Union would be willing to pay a lump sum to the city each year for the grounds. The Union, he said, would be responsible for the grounds, and when other sports were played at the park, the Union should receive a percentage of the gate, he urged.

WINTER ATTRACTION

"We feel that rugby is now the greatest attraction in Winter sport here, now that the ice hockey rink has been burned down. The Royal Athletic Park, with certain additions, will be satisfactory for our games. We do not wish to do anything that would prove detrimental to other branches of sport, but want to co-operate with them," he concluded.

Alderman James Adam, chairman of the Royal Athletic committee, expressed surprise at the Rugby Union's request to the council, and considered it would have been far better for the Union to have first approached the Royal Athletic committee on the proposal. He said that rugby for the past ten or twelve years had been dormant here, and that soccer, with the exception of hockey was the biggest Winter attraction in Canada. He felt that it was hardly fair to soccer for the Rugby Union to make its request for control of the park.

While in sympathy with the rugby players and being anxious to do everything to foster that sport, Alderman Alex Peden thought that it would be most unfair after the soccer teams have been built up to their present position to place control of the Royal Athletic Park in the hands of the Rugby Union.

IMPROVEMENTS PLAN

Alderman H. O. Litchfield remarked that he was interested in the fostering of both rugby and soccer, and remarked that the council was considering improvements to the Willows grounds that would include provision for playing fields for athletics.

Alderman R. A. C. Dewar considered there should be no difficulty in regard to giving fair consideration to both rugby and soccer in the city.

The delegation from the Rugby Union was then asked to lay their proposal before the Royal Athletic committee.

PROSPECTS FOR ROWING BRIGHT

Yale and Columbia Expected to Turn Out Strong Eights—Many Crews Will Be on Water

By MAXWELL STEVENSON
Chairman, Board of Stewards, Intercollegiate Rowing Association.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—As the country's rowing colleges begin to assemble their forces for the 1930 campaign, all indications point to one of the best seasons the sport has yet seen. There will be many good crews on the water, Yale, with Ed. Leader, and Columbia with Rich Glendon, are pretty sure of turning out strong eight's, and in this same category should be listed California, Cornell, Navy, Washington and others. The coaches of these eights have furnished the leading crews for the last few years and with normal material should be in front again, with a strong likelihood, however, that one or two other crews may break in among the leaders.

I do not think there is any chance for a change being made in the Varsity distance of four miles. Indeed, I believe that any sporadic opposition to four miles which may have been mustered in the past has been thoroughly dissipated. Four miles is the ideal test and the classic distance.

BOWLING



ROGUES TAKE TWO

Rolling in a Commercial League fixture, on the Arcade Alleys last night, the Rogues took two games from the Royal Arcanium. Les Fox, with 205 and 512, led the pin-spilling parade in both departments of the game. The scores:

Rogues

L. Fox	205	144	163—512
P. Salloway	134	141	136—411
R. Woods	132	151	161—444
S. Barclay	132	140	121—393
C. Williams	156	139	168—460
Totals	759	715	749—2223

Royal Arcanium

W. Logie	126	154	183—463
W. Humberstone	117	106	187—390
H. Stuart	142	132	113—387
D. Spence	158	142	163—463
S. Wallis	167	156	167—490
Totals	710	690	793—2213

HUSKIES IN FORM

Toppling well over 1,100 pins in two of their three games, George Wilkinson's Huskies, of the Fivepin Bowling League, were in rare form on the Arcade Alleys last night, and as a consequence Spencer's Diamonds dropped three games. J. Huxtable, veteran pin spiller, annexed the aggregate honors by rolling 765, while D. Donaldson, a teammate, rolled 300 in his first game to win the individual honors. The scores:

Spencer's Diamonds

J. Cruickshanks	203	175	119—497
F. Freer	153	167	126—446
J. McLennan	197	197	174—568
W. Plater	165	148	122—435
L. Freer	175	189	170—534
Totals	893	876	711—2480

Huskies

G. Wilkinson	155	206	248—609
D. Donaldson	300	174	178—652
H. Moulton	222	155	207—584
S. Bennett	206	138	280—624
J. Huxtable	288	248	229—765
Totals	1171	921	1142—3234

DATE IS SET FOR QUALIFYING ROUNDS OF BRITISH OPEN

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Qualifying rounds for the British open golf championship will be played on June 16-17 over the courses of the Hoy Lake and Wallace Clubs. Selection of these courses, near Liverpool, was announced today by H. H. Ramsay, chairman of the championship committee of the United States Golf Association on receipt of word from the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, governing body of British golf.

Gregorio Wins

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13.—Vidal Gregorio, flashy Spaniard, jabbed and slugged his way to a ten-round decision over Eugene Huat, France, in a fast bout featuring the card at the Arena tonight. Gregorio weighed 117 1-4, Huat 116 1-4.

Denny Shute Leads Classy Contingent In Golf Tournament

Young Ohioan Professional Three Strokes in Front of Horton Smith and Bobby Cruickshank in Los Angeles Open Championship

RIVIERA COUNTRY CLUB, LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13. — While the gallery followed in the footsteps of the golfing elite today, Denny Shute, young and little known professor from Columbus, Ohio, stroked his way over Riviera's picturesque course to retain an important lead at the end of the third round of the seventy-two-hole Los Angeles Open championship. Two years in the professional ranks, Shute and his total 222 showed the way to the greatest figures in the game. Neither pos-Ohioan went around the 71 layout sessed of flash nor dash, the slender in 75. His previous rounds were 73 and 73. Today he was out in 37 and in in 38. Each nine being two over par.



HORTON SMITH

Three strokes behind Shute followed two of the tournament's favorites, Horton Smith, of Joplin, Mo., and Bobby Cruickshank, of New York. Cruickshank came in with 74 and Smith took 76 to reach the 225-stroke station.

Within striking distance for top money were Tommy Armour (Detroit), Al Espinosa (Chicago) and Chet Beer (Bakersfield, Cal.), all in the 227 class.

FIELD SCATTERED

The rest of the field was scattered from 228 strokes well into the 240's. The end of the third round saw five notables of the game practically out of the running, so far as first money went. Leo Diegel, of Agua Caliente, Mex., marked time with a total of 228, while MacDonald Smith, of Long Island, New York, winner of the title for the last two years, had a 230 to show for his efforts.

First place money also was out of reach of Harry Cooper, of Buffalo, New York, Los Angeles titleholder; Johnny Farrell, of St. Augustine, Fla., former national open champion, and Bill Mehlhorn, New York, another veteran. Cooper chalked up a total of 232; Farrell had 233, and Mehlhorn had 241.

Hard Grind Is Ahead of "Rep" Rugby Players

With Victoria's next McKechnie Cup Rugby match two weeks away, candidates for the fifteen which will journey to Vancouver to meet the Mainland squad on Saturday, January 25, have three practices carded for this week as follows: tonight at the Armories, Bay Street, at 7:30 o'clock; Thursday, at Oak Bay Park, at 7:30 o'clock and Saturday at the Willows at 3 o'clock.

In the second instance it will mark what is believed to be the first Rugby practice ever held in the outdoors under the glimmer of artificial light. Oak Bay Park, where the workout is to be held, has been specially equipped with electric lights. Such action is thought to be unique in the Dominion of Canada.

Sturday's practice at the Willows Oval will take the place of a league match scheduled between the J.B.A.A. and Scottish senior fifteens. Members of the selection committee stated last night that all candidates for the team must attend workouts in order to catch their positions on the "rep" squad.

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Midweek Soccer Teams Expected To Resume Play

MIDWEEK soccer teams are expected to resume play tomorrow with two league matches carded as follows: Hudson's Bay vs. Navy, at Beacon Hill; Batchelor's Food Stores vs. Saanich United, at Royal Athletic Park. Kick-offs are set for 2:30 o'clock.

GOLFERS TO SEEK $1,000 PRIZE AT LA JOLLA COURSE

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—An eighteen-hole $1,000 open golf tournament will be held over the La Jolla Country Club course at La Jolla next Saturday, A. H. Painter, tournament director, announced here yesterday. The field will be limited to ninety entrants, namely, the thirty-two low scorers in the recent P.G.A. championships, the thirty low in last year's United States open, and the balance to be made up from low scorers in the Los Angeles Open.

CHAMPION WILL DEFEND HONORS

MONTREAL, Jan. 13.—J. Gilbert Hall, of East Orange, N.J., will defend his Canadian indoor tennis title in the 1930 tourney, which will open January 22 on the Montreal Indoor Tennis Club's courts. Hall's entry has been received along with that of George Lott, champion of 1927.

Willard Crocker, Canadian Davis Cup player, is expected to enter but has been indisposed recently and may not be able to play. Dr. Jack Wright, Canadian outdoor champion, is at present in Africa.

Windmills, once the popular power source in Spain, are giving way to internal-combustion engines.

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OTTAWA

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—A record offer of $25,000 by the New York Rangers, of the National Hockey League, for Hec Kilrea, star wing man of the Ottawa Senators, has failed to induce the Ottawa club to part with the player, Col. John S. Hammond, president of the Rangers, announced today.

BRADDOCK TO MEET LOMSKI

Aberdeen Assassin Will Tackle Jersey City Light-Heavyweight at Chicago Coliseum Friday

"KID" BERG WILL BATTLE CANZONERI

NEW YORK, Jan. 13. — Lightweights and light-heavyweights feature the National Boxing schedule this week. Tony Canzoneri, former featherweight champion, meets Jack ("Kid") Berg, English lightweight, in the feature ten-rounder in Madison Square Garden here Friday night. On the same night at the Chicago Coliseum Leo Lomski, Aberdeen light-heavyweight, battles J. Braddock, of Jersey City, over the ten-round route.



TONY CANZONERI

Other bouts on the national schedule:

Tuesday—At Los Angeles, Fidel La Barba, Los Angeles, vs. Ignacio Fernandez, Filipino, featherweights, ten rounds, and Freddy Tomkins, Milwaukee, vs. Freddie Mann, Los Angeles, lightweights, six rounds.

Wednesday—At New York Coliseum, Arthur Dekum, Italy, vs. Big Bill Hartwell, Kansas City, and Buck Weaver, California, vs. King Solomon, Panama, all heavyweights, each ten rounds; at San Francisco, Battling Dozier, Omaha, vs. Johnny Preston, Honolulu, welterweights, ten rounds.

Canadians Win

DAVOS, Switzerland, Jan. 13.—The Canadian hockey team from Toronto defeated a team from Lausanne, Switzerland, by 16 goals to 0 here last night.

Lessons in BASKETBALL



What are the best tactics for a guard to adopt against the opposing forward?

Answered by
H. V. McDERMOTT
Basketball Coach, University of Oklahoma, Missouri Valley Conference Champions.

The guards first thought is to be between the forward and the goal. Do not be outwitted. If your forward is particularly effective stay close to him, see that he gets no unmolested shots, worry him. Do not rush at a forward or he will pivot around you. Stay on the floor because when you alight the elusive forward is gone. When he is in the act of shooting yell at him, talk to him, stamp your foot on the floor so as to take his mind off of the shot. Remember he is just one of the boys and the things that would worry you will distract him. If a forward is coming to meet you on a dribble give him an advantage to the side line away from the goal and very often he will take it. When he does he has cut his available playing space in half. Have the scout, if there is one, to watch the star forward and get his peculiar actions in getting rid of his guard. Then you will be prepared for the worst.

ENGLAND WINS TEST GAME BY EIGHT WICKETS

New Zealand Batsmen Unable to Cope With Bowling of Englishmen — 5,000 Witness Victory

SCORING BY BOTH SIDES NOT HEAVY

CHRISTCHURCH, N.Z., Jan. 13.—(C.P. Cable)—England defeated New Zealand in their first cricket test match today by eight wickets.

The New Zealand batsmen with the exception of their captain, Lowrey, were hardly a match for the visiting bowlers. The scoring by both sides was not heavy, the aggregates being:

England 247, New Zealand 243.

Five thousand attended the closing phase of the game.

England continued their first innings left at 147 for over the week-end, and carried it to 181. New Zealand, who made only 112 in their first innings, did very little better in their second venture to the wicket, being dismissed for 131. Allom, who bowled so sensationally on Friday, got three wickets today for seventeen runs. He was again difficult to play, his offerings coming up fast from the pitch. Requiring only 63 to win, England lost the wickets of Dawson, and Gilligan, and were still short of the required runs. Prince Duleep Singhji got the winning run with a boundary hit.

BUCKEYE BELLE SPRINGS UPSET

Romps Home in Seventh Race at Agua Caliente and Returns $37 for Two-Dollar Straight Bet

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Threatening weather and slow tracks failed to keep the crowds away from Oriental Park and Agua Caliente race tracks yesterday, and the fans got their money's worth in the feature races on the two programmes.

At Havana, Mart Malone, owned by the Highland Stable, made a great finishing drive to win the Hotel Almendare's claiming handicap, beating out Propus and Andresito. The Cuban-bred Andresito, which had not lost a race in four starts at the current meeting, had to give away too much weight and could not last in the hot finish of the six-furlong race.

The winner, covering the distance in 1:13 1-5, netted slightly more than 4 to 1 in the mutuels.

SURPRISING WIN

The sixth and best race at Agua Caliente brought a decided setback for the form players when Buckeye Belle, owned by the Rancho San Carlos, scored a surprising victory and paid $37 in the $2 mutuel betting. Buckeye Belle got away ahead and held command all through the seven-furlong event, finishing half a length ahead of the Agua Caliente Stable's Wirt G. Bowman. The second horse was coming fast at the finish. Mrs. B. Catt's Paragraph, suffering from a poor ride, was a bad third. The winner brought $700 to its owners.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

AGUA CALIENTE, Jan. 13.—Results of horse racing here yesterday follow:

First race—Five furlongs.

Seth's Queen (Warren)	$15.00	$6.80	$3.60
Phil K. (Greco)	7.00	3.80	
Mentaser Seth (Moran)		3.00	

Time, 1:04 2-5. Also ran: Little Wood Element, Brunl, Ida Fitzpatrick, Fair Heather, Vorrell, Continenti, Cady Rose, Carrillo. Scratched: Selma Barbe, Sis Turpin.

Second race—Five and a half furlongs.

Hootinany (Collins)	$23.80	$8.20	$3.60
Ines K. (Level)		4.00	2.40
June Star (Redding)			2.80

Time, 1:11 2-5. Also ran: Starkist, Lumoni, Fair Allan, Amelia May.

Third race—Six furlongs.

Broomoner (Luthar)	$8.20	$4.60	$2.80
Portola (McHugh)		3.20	3.20
Cas Walker (Richardson)			6.00

Time, 1:18. Also ran: High Win, Hill and Hill, Catesby, Manoa, Junior's Nurse. Scratched: Yucca, Julie H.

Fourth race—Six furlongs.

No Effort (Warren)	$8.80	$3.80	$2.80
Rolling Star (Greco)		3.00	2.60
Athey (Keiser)			2.40

Time, 1:17 1-5. Also ran: Pandion Queen, Little Hilda, Alice Lorraine, Valley Joe, Laddie Buck. Scratched: Ritter, Rapier.

Fifth race—Five and a half furlongs.

Short Price (Moran)	$6.80	$3.00	$
Sandy Man (Schutte)		2.40	
Nifty (Greco)			

Time, 1:09 2-5. Also ran: Kings Up, Windjammer.

Sixth race—Seven furlongs.

Buckeye Belle (Cleverly)	$37.00	$9.20	$4.00
Wirt Bowman (Teasdale)		4.60	
Paragraph (Baird)			2.20

Time, 1:31 2-5. Also ran: Kit Carson, Tanist, Port o' Play.

Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth.

Alloy (Mulroney)	$7.20	$7.40	$4.20
War Balsam (Teasdale)		3.60	3.40
Croisaantania (Cleverly)			3.60

Time, 1:55. Also ran: Cocuina, Byzranus, Catch Me, Aurous, Lord Douglas, D. F. Kelley. Scratched: Kiyi, Van Patrick.

Eighth race—Seven furlongs.

Fetching (Moran)	$11.20	$3.60	$4.40
Homewood (Cleverly)		10.80	6.40
Paul Hirtenstein (Greco)			5.00

Time, 1:31 1-5. Also ran: Little Captain, Flying Express, Flying Torch, Magdalena, The One. Scratched: Thrace, Roodles.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Five furlongs.

Yankee	108
Shasta Kubian	109
Joe O	109
Follow Me	106
Buss K	109
Twenty-Three-Sixty	106
Miss Dona	108
Common Denominator	117
Moonchild	113
Pagoid	114
Boca	107
Teaberry	106
Bayre M	109
Rose Murphy	106
Sun Lynn	109
Cobra	109
Catesby	109
Applesauce	102
Second race—Five and a half furlongs.	110
Bon Bobby	100
Port Captain	108
Labellite	
[illegible] Spor	109
Duke Fehl	[illegible]
Star Ference	109
Third race—Two furlongs.	
Miss Ray	100
Lamistar	118
J. W. Grant	112
Shot-ste	113
Freda Wilp	105
Miss Keaton	118
Mary Ream	100
Gloverhead	118
Mocita	109
Mazie Bindar	113
Justclara	112
Cleve Pet	108
Aspasia	106
Miss Cheyenne	103
Evelina	113
Margie M	109
Fourth race—Seven furlongs.	
Whiraler	108
Maid o' the Storm	112
Graceful	105
Mollie Dear	109
Hill and Hill	112
Mary Beverly	103
Laddie Buck	108
Clermont Jr.	112
Lampasas	109
Carlisle	98
Athey	93
Fourteen-Sixty	103
Tom Nash	100
Sylvanus	105
Tecate	116
Snoqualmie	100
Rambling	105
Seagrave	111
Fifth race—Six furlongs.	
Poppy Field	105
Dr. Willen	112
Chief's Warrior	90
Scot's Grey	109
Seth's Hope	114
Gordon King	103
Mint Olsara	103
Sidney Grant	100
Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth.	
Granddad	109
Theorist Jane	108
Olive Dexter	104
Fair Gold	107
Coat o' Mail	104
Buckeye Belle	107
Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth.	
Ponimoi	108
Little Hills	107
Ruff McClain	107
Omrah	104
Alior	109
Shasta Rock	104
The Orleasan	102
Ritter	107
Love's Orbs	104
Leo Lampe	108
Little Asbestos	111
Alice Lorraine	102
Forecaster	109

BILL TILDEN WINS SECOND TITLE AT MONTE CARLO MEET

MONTE CARLO, Jan. 13.—Bill Tilden and his English partner, Charles Kingsley, defeated Brame Hillyard and Louis Worms in the men's doubles final of the Monte Carlo tennis tournament today by scores of 8-7, 6-3, 6-3. Tilden captured singles honors yesterday.

Mrs. Cecil Eve Captures Honors At Uplands Club

With a net 82, Mrs. Cecil Eve won the monthly medal contest at the Uplands Gold Club Saturday. She completed the round in a gross 97 and had a handicap of fifteen. Mrs. F. Wilding also went around in a gross 97, but took second place when her handicap of one gave her a net 88.

VANCOUVER WINS

SEATTLE, Jan. 13.—Grabbing a page from Karl Swenson after a pile-up at the side of the Sunset Electric goal, Dave Render poked a fast shot past Harold Webb in the closing minutes of play to give Sunfreze's Slices an upset 3-2 victory last night.

The game was the feature of the Seattle Hockey League's double-header which saw the Vancouver All-Stars walk all over West Seattle, 5-2, in the opening game.

SAANICH TRUSTEES EXPLAIN BY-LAWS

Trustees Tomes, Brooks, Jeune and Fyvie Address Voters at Cloverdale

Details regarding the proposed by-laws for the Saanich High Schools, and additions to be made to the Cloverdale and Tolmie Schools, were discussed at a meeting called by the Saanich School Board, held last evening at Cloverdale School.

Trustee L. W. Tomes, chairman of the works and grounds committee, presided, and explained in detail the particulars regarding the plans.

Trustee J. L. Brooks reviewed the school situation in Saanich in general and the northern part of Saanich in particular, and emphasized the need for a high school in Keating. There was a crying demand for such a school, he said, and a high school near the city boundary would by no means accommodate the pupils living in the northern district. Difficulties of transportation and other details were brought forward, and the matter proved one of interest to the meeting.

Trustee W. P. Jeune stated that the demand for high school service in Saanich had become very urgent, and he dealt with the cost of the erection and maintenance of such an institution.

Trustee D. Fyvie dealt at length with the plans for an addition to the Cloverdale and Tillicum schools, in which districts the increase of population had resulted in a serious lack of proper school facilities.

Sets Endurance Record



MERCEDES Gleitze, twenty-eight-year-old London stenographer, who sprang into fame in 1927 by swimming the English Channel, is now reported to have broken the women's world endurance record. According to reports, Miss Gleitze swam continuously for twenty-six hours on New Year's Day in an indoor club in Edinburgh, Scotland.

FORMER CHAMP PICKS SHARKEY

Places Him at Top of Heavyweight Boxing Ratings and Names Him World's Champion

MAX SCHMELING IS RATED SECOND

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—So far as Jack Dempsey is concerned the heavyweight champion of the world is Jack Sharkey, of Boston.

Ranking the boxers in each division for The Ring, a fistic magazine, the old "Manassa Mauler" places Sharkey at the top of the heap and terms him the "accredited world heavyweight champion."

Back of the Boston sailor Dempsey ranks Max Schmeling, of Germany; Tuffy Griffiths, of Sioux City, Ia., and Phil Scott, of England. Then he groups seven men — Tommy Loughran, Otto Von Porat, George Godfrey, Johnny Risko, Victorio Campolo, Young Stribling and Paolino Uzcudun. The rankings were made before Paolino's victory over Porat in the Madison Square Garden on Friday night.



JACK SHARKEY

Of his own plans Dempsey says little definite. He believes that Sharkey is good enough to repel all attempts to take the title out of the United States, but hints that if the sailor fails, he (Dempsey) may try another comeback.

FEELS HE IS DONE

"I still feel," says Jack, "that even with my long absence from ring competition, I could give a good account of myself with any of the present crop of heavyweights. On the face of things, however, I feel that I am done as an active participant." Dempsey's rankings succeed those made for The Ring by the late Tex Rickard.



Max Schmeling

Here's the way Dempsey ranks the leaders in the other divisions:

Light-heavyweights — Maxey Rosenbloom, Jimmy Slattery, Leo Sczzra and Leo Lomski.

Middleweights — Mickey Walker, Dave Shade, Bene de Vos and Ace Hudkins.

Welterweights—Jackie Fields and Jimmy McLarnin.

Lightweights — Sammy Mandell and Tony Canzoneri.

Featherweights — Kid Chocolate, Earl Mastro and Bat Battalino.

Bantamweights — Al Brown and Bushy Graham.

Flyweights—Black Bill and Midge Wolgast.

A national tendency to drink less beer and more tea is indicated in the last annual report of the British Commissioners of Customs and Excise.

LEW WING FACES SERIOUS CHARGE

Sergeant Paton, R.C.M.P., Tells in City Police Court of Narcotic Drug Purchases

Dramatic evidence was given quietly in the city police court, yesterday, by Sergeant J. R. Paton, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, when Lew Wing, a Chinese, elected for summary trial before Magistrate George Jay. Mr. M. B. Jackson, K.C., appeared for the prosecution and Mr. W. C. Moresby, K.C., for the accused. Mr. Moresby formally took exception at the outset to Mr. Jackson's authority to act as Crown Counsel.

Sergeant Paton, in the witness stand, told how evidence against Lew Wing had been obtained. Loo Chun, at the police station had first been searched in the presence of Chief Fry to ascertain that he had no opium on his person. He had then been given five dollars in bank notes, the numbers of which had been recorded. Next he had been driven to the place where he was to meet Lew Wing. Witness had seen Loo Chun there meet Lew Wing. At a signal from Loo Chun, he had gone up to them and made the arrest. On searching them, Loo Chun was found to be now in possession of five decks of opium but not of the bank notes which had been given him, witness testified.

Here an element of mystery entered. Not only could the bank notes no longer be found on Loo Chun; they could not be found on Lew Wing. They had disappeared.

NOT FIRST TIME

Witness further related how the same procedure had been gone through on previous occasions, except that on those occasions, the police had not accompanied Loo Chun to the scene of action.

Corroborative evidence was given by Chief Fry, by Constable Hartnett, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and Loo Chun.

Loo Chun further testified that he bought opium from Lew Wing on several occasions, had paid money for it, and had been given the opium in return. Lew Wing had offered to sell opium to him.

At the conclusion of Loo Chun's evidence the hearing was adjourned until today.

Investigation Demanded Into Cause of Death

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Relatives of Robert Grant, seventy-two, former alderman of Vancouver, B.C., today demanded an investigation into the cause of his death yesterday in a downtown hotel here. Grant arrived in San Francisco on Saturday with his bride of four days, formerly his private secretary. Late that night he was stricken and died early the next day.

The request for the investigation came in a telegram from F. C. Grant, Nanaimo, B.C., the dead man's nephew, to Dr. A. Berger, autopsy physician. The two physicians who attended Grant wired the nephew that death was from natural causes.

Big Damage in Refining Plant Fire at Tacoma

TACOMA, Jan. 13.—Fire of undetermined origin that swept through refining plant No. 2 of the Tacoma plant of the American Smelting & Refining Company early this morning, did damage estimated at $100,000, according to Mr. E. A. White, superintendent. The fire started in one end of the basement of the big one-story tile structure and swept to the roof. Before it was brought under control half of the roof was burned off and much of the equipment damaged.

Copper refining production at the smelter will be cut 50 per cent as a result of the fire, it was said.

Australia's coal strike has continued for several months.

Improvements Suggested For Exhibition Grounds

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horse show building be torn down, and the concession stands be placed on the site which the horse show building now occupies. The grounds at the entrance to Willows Park and in front of the mail building would be laid out in gardens, flower beds and lawns, adding to the beautification of the whole scheme.

AGAINST PROPOSAL

Members of the council, with the exception of Alderman Dewar, endorsed the general layout of the proposed development. Alderman Dewar stated that the council had contributed annually $5,000 for the last few years to the British Columbia Agricultural Association, and he doubted whether the citizens had got that much value for the money expended. He said that he would prefer that the grounds be sold and the money thus derived be put into something "more attractive and more permanent, that would be of greater value to the citizens and tourists."

When the vote was taken on the motion sponsored by Alderman H. O. Litchfield, that the council tentatively endorse the general plan of improvement of the Willows grounds, Alderman Dewar was the sole member of the council to record his vote in the negative.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Trading at N. Y. Falls to Very Low Ebb, Sales Being Lowest for Year and Half

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The stock market continued to dawdle today, trading falling to the lowest ebb witnessed in a year and a half. Total sales were 1,452,580 shares, the smallest turnover since July 12, 1928, when 1,407,500 shares were traded.

Coppers sagged a little in selling in anticipation of unfavorable December statistics as to stocks of the red metal on hand. Montgomery Ward was a target for the bears for a time, but closed only about a point off.

Allied Chemical and Auburn Auto mounted about six points. Shares closing about two to three points higher included American and Foreign Power, American Tobacco, C. & O., Columbian Carbon, General Electric, Hershey Chocolate, Michigan and Newton Steels, Radio, Keith, Hudson Motor, Wabash and Western Union.

Foreign exchanges generally continued to sag. Sterling cables dipped 1-8c to $4.85 7-8, the Spanish peseta, on the other hand, rallied further, closing about 1-3c higher.

New financing operations dominated bond trading today, and the market struggled through one of the dullest sessions in recent months. Prices tended to ease under the counter attractions of issues either offered or pending.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Last
Allied Chem	269	263	268
Amaranda Corpn	31	30	30
Am. Can	127 7	122	127-7
Am. Car & Fdr	80	80	80
Am. For Power	36-2	34-1	36
Am. Locomotive	103	102	102
Am. Smeltera	73	72-4	72-5
Am. Steel Fdy	47-4	47	47
Am. Sugar	62	61-4	61-4
Am. Sum Tob	21-7	20	21-7
Am. Tel. & Tel	220	218-6	219-2
Am. Tobacco	304-2	300	302
Am. Tobacco B	205	201-4	202
Am. Woolens	10-7	10-4	10-4
Anaconda	75	73-2	73-2
Armour A	5-7	5-6	6-7
Ass'd Dry Goods	31	30	30
Atlantic Refinery	38-3	37-7	37-7
Atchison	227	223	226
Auburn Motors	188-4	182	188-4
Baltimore & Ohio	118-7	117	118-7
Bangor & Ar'stk	65	63-2	63-2
Barnsdall "A"	23-6	23-3	23-4
Bethlehem Steel	66-7	66-4	66-3
Bosch Magneto	42-4	42-4	42-4
Brooklyn Manhat	64-6	64-5	64-6
California Pack's	68	67	67-5
Calumet & Aris	67	66	66
Calumet & Hecla	30-6	30-4	30-4
Can. Dry Ging. Ale	67	66	66
Can. Pac	187	184	185-3
Cerro De Pasco	63-6	62-6	62-6
Chesap'ke & Ohio	208-4	207-4	208
Chi. Gt. Western	15-5	14-6	15
Chi. Mil & St. P	25-5	24-4	25
Chi. & Northwest	85	84-4	84-6
Chi. R.I. & Pac	116-2	118-4	115-4
Chrysler Motor	36-3	34-4	36-2
Coca Cola	138	138	138
Col. Graph'ons Co.	28-4	26-6	29
Columbia Gas	77	76-1	77
Col. Fuel & Iron	41-6	41-2	41-3
Comolium-Nairn	13-6	13-1	13-6
Cons. Gas	102-4	101-2	101-7
Cont. Motor	6-1	6	6
Corn Products	91	89-5	91
Crucible Steel	32	31	31
Curtiss Aero	7-5	7-3	7-3
Davison Chemical	30	30	30
Dupont Powder	115	113-6	115
Eastman Kodak	179	176	178
Elec. Power	33-7	32-2	33-4
Erwin'rs Pb. Srv.	59-7	58	58-7
Erie	52	50-7	51-7
Famous Players	53	51-4	52
Foundation Co.	15-4	15-4	16-4
Fox Film "A"	22	18-6	21-7
Freeport, Texas	43-3	42-6	43-2
Gabriel Snubbers	6-4	6-4	6-4
Gardner Motor	3-6	3-6	3-6
General Am. Tank	104	103-6	104
General Asphalt	50-6	49-4	50
Gen. Electric	248	244-4	246
Gen. Motors	38-7	39	38-7
Gen. Ry Signal	31-1	00	90
Gold Dust	43-4	42-4	42-5
Goodrich Rubber	43	43	43
Granby	56	55	56
Great North. Ore	21-3	21-3	21-3
Great North. pfd.	98	93-4	96
Gt. West Sug	33-2	32-5	33-2
Greene Cananea	100	100	100
Grisaby Grunow	13-6	13-2	13-4
Gulf States Steel	54-4	54-4	54-4
Howe Sound	38	37	37
Hudson Motor	57	55-4	56
Hupp Motors	23-2	22-7	23
Illinois Central	130	126-4	128-4
Imperial Oil	27	26-4	27
Inspiration	38-4	36-2	36-6
Intl Cement	57	57	57
Int Comb. Eng.	6-1	6-7	5-7
Intl. Harvester	61-7	59-4	60-4
Int'l Match. pfd.	69-5	69-3	69-3
Int. Pete	22	21-5	21-6
Int. Nickel	35-3	34	35-1
Int. Tel. & Tel	74-2	72-6	73-4
Johns Manville	127-6	125-2	127
Kan. City South	79	79	79
Kelvinator	8	7-6	7-6
Kennecott Copper	58-1	57-2	57-3
Kolster Radio	4-1	4	4
Lehigh Valley	74-4	74	74-4
Louis & Nash	135-6	136	135
Mack Truck	72-4	72	72
Marlin-Rockwell	41	41	41
Martas Co.	17	17	17
Mex. Seaboard	17-7	17-4	17-4
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	26-7	26-7	26-7
Miss. Pacific	89-1	89	89
Miss. Pac., pfd.	137	136	136
Montgomery Ward	45-6	44-3	45
Nash Motors	54-7	53	54-4
National Biscuit	182-7	182	182
Nati. Cash Reg.	75-7	75-2	75-2
Nati. Dairy Prod.	46	47-2	46-4
Nati. Pr & Light	33-5	33	33-4
N.Y. Air Brake	46	46	46
Norfolk & West	229-6	227-7	228
North. American	36-7	35-3	35-4
Northern Pacific	87-6	86-7	87-4
N.Y. Central	170-3	168-7	170-2
N.Y., N.H. & Hart	111-4	109-4	111-4
N.Y., Ont. & West	15-2	13-5	15-2
Packard Motor	16	15-7	15-7
Pan. American B.	58-1	58-1	58-1
Pennsylvania R.R	78-2	74-2	78
Phillips Pete	34	33-4	33-7
Pierce Arrow	21-4	21-3	21-4
Postum Co.	48-5	47-7	48-5
Producers & Ref.	8-6	8-4	8-6
Public Ser. of N.J.	85-2	84	85-1
Pullman Co.	89-3	84-6	84-5
Radio	43	41-2	41-3
Readine	125-4	124-4	124-4
Rep Motors	11-6	11-1	11-2
Rep. Iron & Steel	76-1	76	76-1
Roiav Dutch	54-2	54-2	54-2
Schultz	5-6	5-4	5-6
Sears Roebuck	85-6	85-4	85-5
Shell Union	23-3	23	23
Simmons Co	30-4	29-2	30
Sinclair Cons.	24-3	24-6	24-2
S. Cal. Edison	57-3	57	57
Southern Pac	131-4	131	131
Southern Railway	136-1	135-2	135-2
Standard Gas	115-3	114-4	115-3
Standard Oil, Cal	61	60-6	60-6
Standard Oil, N.J.	65-1	64-4	64-4
Standard Oil, N.Y.	33	32-6	32-7
Stewart Warner	41-2	40-4	40-5
St. Louis & S. Fran.	110-6	108-2	106-4
Studebaker	43-7	42-6	43-2
Texas Co	55-4	55-1	55-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	58-3	57-1	57-4
Timken Roller	76-2	75-4	75-6
Tobacco Prod.	3	2-7	2-7
Union Oil of Cal	45-3	45	45
Union Pacific	217	217	217
U.S. Cast I Pipe	23-5	21-6	23
U.S. Ind. Alco.	132-4	130-4	132
U.S. Rubber	25-1	24	24
U.S. Steel	170-7	168-6	170-7
Underwood Typ.	102	101	102
Union Carbida	80	78-5	80
Util. P'w'r & Light	32-4	31-7	32
Venadium	53-4	53-4	53-4
Wabash	59-3	56	58
Westing Air Brake	46	45-1	46-1
Westing. Elec.	143-7	144-2	146-2
White Motor	32-1	32-1	32-1
Willys-Overyland	8-3	7-7	8
Woolworth	67-4	66-7	67-3
Yale Towne	75	75	75
Y'ngstn Sh. & Tu	108	108	108
Yel. Trk & Coach	13-7	13-3	13-7
Alleshany Corpn	23-6	24-7	23-6
Standard Brand	27-6	27-2	27-3
Warner Bros	43-6	42-6	43-3

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 13 — Foreign exchanges easy.

France—3.93 11-16; cables 3.92¾.
Italy—5.22¾; cables 5.23¾.
Belgium—13.92¾.
Germany—23.84½.
Holland—40.22.
Norway—26.72.
Sweden—26.82.
Denmark—26.72.
Switzerland—19.38.
Spain—13.42.
Greece—1.29½.
Poland—.112½
Czechoslovakia—2.85 11-16.
Jugo-slavia—1.76¾.
Austria—.1406¾.
Rumania—.59¾.
Argentine—40.30.
Brazil—11.35.
Tokio—49.12.
Shanghai—70.84.
Montreal—99.00

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(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

TORONTO, Jan. 13—Quotations at 11 a.m., Eastern time.

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power & Paper pfd	73	
Beatty Bros. com.	30½	37
Beatty Bros. pfd	93	94
Bell Telephone	151	
Brazilian T.L. & P	39¾	
B.A. Oil	49¼	
B.C. Packers	9¼	
B.C. Power "A"	39	
Building Products "A"	26	
Canadian Bakeries "A"		37½
Canada Cement	23½	24
Can. Ind. Alcohol "A"	11¾	
Canadian Hydro Electric	82	
Canadian Pacific (N.Y.)	185	
City Dairy com.	51	
Cockshutt Plow	23½	
Con. Smelters	255	
Cosmos Imp. com.	18	18
Dominion Bridge	77½	
Dominion Glass	131	
Ford of Canada "A"	32	32½
Frost Steel & Wire com.	13	14
Frost Steel & Wire pfd.	81½	94
General Steel Wares	18½	
Hamilton Bridge	24	
Hinde & Dauch com.		17½
Home Oil	8.10	8.25
Imperial Oil	27	
International Nickel	35¾	
International Petroleum	22	27¼
International Utilities "A"	34¾	36
Lake of the Woods com.	46	
Massey-Harris com.	42	43
McColl Frontenac	25¼	26
Montreal Power	131½	
Noranda	35.75	35.80
Page-Hersey Tubes	87	
Power Corpn.	74	
Quebec Power	67½	
Riverside "A"		25
Service Station "A"	49	49½
Service Station pfd "A"	109¾	111
Shawinigan W. & P.	75	
Sherritt Gordon	2.81	2.86
Steel of Canada com.	99¾	
Sudbury Basin	3.09	3.10
Ventures	2.81	2.70
Walkers G. & W.	10½	10¾
Western Steel Products	34	
Winnipeg Electric com.	54	

Alberta Oil Stocks

(H. E. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Alta. Pacific Cons.	1.72	1.68	1.72
Associated Oil	1.16	1.00	1.10
British Dominion	6¾	6¼	6½
Calmont	1.28	1.25	1.28
Dalhousie	1.88	1.81	1.88
Devenish	15	15	15
East Crest	1.02	1.01	1.02
Harasl	1.05	1.02	1.05
Home Oil	8.80	8.50	8.55
Illinois Alta	38	36	38
Madison	14	14	14
McD. Segur (new)	78	78	78
Mercury	88	85	85
Okalta (new)	1.40	1.36	1.38
Ranchmen	40	40	40
Regent	31½	31½	31½
Richfield	38	36	38
United Oils	80	78	80
	Bid		Asked
C. & E. Corpn.	2.65		
Freehold	65		67
McLeod	2.38		
Signal Hill	15		16
Spooner	50		

ADD DIRECTORS

MONTREAL, Jan. 13.—The Gazette in its financial news today says:

"Announcement is made today by Wood, Gundy & Company, Limited, of the resignation of Mr. A. W. Scripture from the directorate, and the addition of eight new directors of the board."

HEAVINESS IS FELT BY MART IN WINNIPEG

Cables Extremely Weak and Export Business in Wheat Insignificant—Selling Fairly General

WEAKNESS SHOWN IN COARSE GRAINS

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 13.—Wheat: Extremely weak cables and only a small and insignificant export business over the week-end resulted in heavy wheat markets on this side again today, with local prices on the extreme break being over three cents below the close on Saturday, the May future selling at $1.36, after which there was some reaction.

Winnipeg was weaker than Chicago and the spread between the two Mays narrowed to the smallest of the year. While there were no large loads of wheat coming on the market, the selling was fairly general and it looked as if the buyers of the past few days had changed their attitude and were unloading. Other locals and commission houses were taking the offerings on the break, combined with profit taking by shorts.

Direct exporters did a small trade over the week-end but not sufficient to help the demand for cash wheat on this side. Large holders are not offering any grade freely which results in a small trade in cash wheat and continues to be confined to the odd carlot which is being taken by terminal interests. Spreads were unchanged to a fraction better on some grades.

Liverpool closed unchanged to 5-8 lower when due 1 1-2 up. Buenos Aires was steady, being 1-4 lower to unchanged at midday. A larger foreign demand is badly needed if present price levels are to hold.

Coarse Grains: The weakness in wheat was again reflected in the coarse grains and all markets lost ground. Consumptive demand was very slow over the week-end and no business was reported.

Flax: This market was also weak in sympathy with the downward trend in the general list. Trade very small and featureless.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	136	138	136	137¼
July	140	140	138	138¾
Oct.	135	135	133½	134½
Oats—				
May	62	62	61¼	61¾
July	63	63¼	61¾	61¾
Rye—				
May	94¾	94¾	93½	93½
July	96¼	96¼	95¼	95¾
Barley—				
May	65	65¾	64½	64½
July	67¾	67¾	66¾	66¾

LIVERPOOL—Open, ¼ up. Close, Unchanged to ⅝ off.

INDEMNITIES FOR TUESDAY

Wheat—	Bid	Offer
May	125	139¾
July	138¾	141¾

WINNIPEG GRAIN CASH CLOSE.

Wheat—No. 1 Nor., 131⅛; 2 Nor., 126⅛; 3 Nor., 123¾; 4 W., 117⅝; 5 W., 106⅝; 6 W., 66⅛; feed, 83¼; track, 131⅛.

Oats—No. 2 C.W., 61¾; 3 C.W., 54; 1 feed, 54; 2 feed, 50½; rejected, 46⅛; track, 57⅝.

Barley—No. 3 C.W., 59¾; 4 C.W., 55; 3 C.W., 51½; 6 C.W., 43¼; track, 60.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., 252; 2 C.W., 248; 3 C.W. and rejected, 215¾; track, 252¾.

Rye—No. 1 and 2, 68⅛; 3 C.W., 83¾; rejected, 77; track, 86¼.

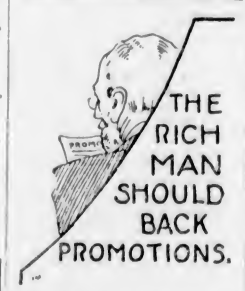
Bank Stocks

(BRANSON, BROWN & CO., LTD.)

	Close
Chase	146
Commerce	281
Dominion	228
First National	5,240
Imperial	295
Montreal	393
National City	230
Nova Scotia	321
Royal	305
Toronto	248

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Seasoned investments are best for the small investor.

Saving that a business is a "promotion" does not imply that there is something wrong with that business, but it does mean that it is not a project in which the small investor should put his money.

Promotions are necessary. Every established and successful business of the present was a promotion at some time in the past, and if someone had not supplied the money for its promotion, it could never have succeeded. If there was nobody to run some risk for the sake of investing in the new business, we could never make progress.

But backing these projects is the duty and the privilege of the rich man. He can afford to run the risks involved, for he does not face want in the event that the proposition fails. The man who has only a few hundred or a few thousand dollars to invest should choose a place for them with the utmost care. He cannot afford to run the risk of losing, even on the chance of winning heavily; therefore he should shun promotions and risk to seasoned investments.

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Keeps Dull But Strong Says Whithey

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Whitney, of Wall Street, says: Another session of dullness has transpired but, nevertheless, has been sufficiently strong in tone to warrant the statement that the worst thing about this market is the sentiment surrounding it. Back in December the opinion became almost universally crystalized on the expectation that the first fifteen days of January would bring forth a strong advance, and since the time when the market entered the period of promise, the lack of expected performance has gradually eliminated this sentiment and replaced it with one which, now that the period is practically over, is almost universally crystalized on the feeling that the market is going to undergo a decline to materially lower points. I do not agree with this now prevailing sentiment, and feel that, divorced from the element of discouraging dullness, an impartial consideration of the market will reveal the type of performance that plainly spells accumulation.

It is particularly noticeable that the market is building up an immunity to both unfavorable sentiment and unfavorable rumors, not to mention actual news from time to time, which is, to say the least, unencouraging; it is equally noticeable that each of the temporary dips does not carry as low as the last one, and that, whatever activity does come, is on the upside. I think it will pay to bear in mind that the failures of these flurries to carry through into what could be termed a worthwhile advance are far from bearish, to the extent that they are absolutely the normal accompaniment to any market which is under accumulation, the reason being found in the fact that those accumulating stocks have no particular desire to attract attention to them, and, likewise, no desire at the moment to mark them up until accumulation is completed. The advance, which, I believe, may be somewhat delayed, but which, nevertheless, is what is going to happen as a result of this dullness, is finding its justification in business conditions. The opportunity has been provided in the last week or so to get together the opinions of many of the leaders of industry, and, while some are of greater importance than others, I find that one fact stands out clearly, this being that in each individual case surprise is registered at the way the particular business with which the individual is concerned is holding up and the extent to which new business is coming in. I think that, as soon as we get to a place where it gradually dawns on everyone that the other fellow's business is doing as well as his own, we are going to witness, not only a change of sentiment, but its reflection on the market via rising prices.

I continue the advice, therefore, to keep off the short side and exercise what patience is necessary between now and the next advance.

Closing Grain Quotations

(B.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd.)

WINNIPEG

	Wheat	Oats
May	137⅛	61⅞
July	136⅝	57⅜
Oct.	134½	61⅝

CHICAGO

	Wheat	Corn	Oats
March	125¾	83	47½
May	129¼	95⅝	48⅝
July	130⅝	97¾	47⅝
Jan.	120⅝		

NEW YORK CURB

(B.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd.)

	Close
Ass'd Gas & Elec.	41
Amn. Maracaibo	1⅝
Cities Svc	99
Elec. Bond & Share	83¾
Engineers God	11¼
Ford Motors (Canada)	31⅝
Ford Motors (England)	11¼
Fox Theatres "A"	5½
Fund of France	6⅝
Humble Oil	85⅝
Niagara Hudson Power	13
Riacoe Co.	17⅛
Cord Corpn	12¼
Newmont Mining	112
Trans-America Corpn. (new)	43¾
United Gas, Texas	22⅝
Midland Royalties pfd.	16⅛
Int. Pete	21⅝
Pokker	18
Amn. Super Power	25½
Arkansas Nat. Gas	8½
Standard Oil of Ind.	47⅝
Interstate Equities	10¼
Amn. Cyan "B"	27½

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Alta. Pacific Grain	27-4	27-4	27-4
Abitibi	28-6	27-4	27-4
Asbestos	3	2-6	2-8
Atlantic Sugar	6	7-2	7-2
Ass. Breweries	18	17-4	17-4
B.A. Oil	50	48-3	49-6
Bell Telephone	152-5	151	152-5
Brazilian Trac	38-4	38	38-3
B.C. Fish & Pack	3-4	3-2	3-4
Brompton Paper	26	25-7	25-7
B.C. Power "A"	39-6	39	39
B.C. Power "B"	18-4	18-4	18-4
Can. Bronze	48-4	48	48-4
Can. Celanese, com.	14	14	14
Can. Cement, com.	17-6	17-6	17-6
Can. Car Fdy., com.	28	27-1	27-1
Canada Gypsum	23-6	23-4	23-4
Can. S.S., com.	19	18	18
Can. S.S., pfd.	73	72	72
Can. Converters	75	75	75
Can. Ind. Alcohol	11-6	11-5	11-6
Can. Steel Wares	13	13-4	13
Carling B'wing Co.	4	3	4
Cons. M. & S.	269	268	268
Dom. Bridge	77-4	76-6	77-4
Dom. Glass	130	125	125
Dom. Textile	80	80	80
Dryden Paper	13-4	14	14
Fraser Companies	16-4	16	16
Hiram Walker	10-4	10-4	10-4
Massey-Harris	42-4	42-3	42-3
McColl Frontenac	25-6	24-4	24-4
Montreal Power	133	131-4	131-4
National Breweries	118	118	118
Noranda	36-4	36-4	36-3
Pasa. Hersey	88	87-6	88
Penmans, Ltd	78	78	78
Power Corp'n	75	74	74
Shawinigan	79	78	78-7
Steel of Can.	45	44-6	44-6
Winnipeg Elec.	84	83-7	83-7

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

1933, 1st May & Nov.	101.60	102.10
1937, 1st June & Dec.	104.00	104.60

WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX PAID

1931, 1st Apr. & Oct.	99.80	100.20
1937, 1st Mar. & Sept.	101.00	101.00

(Payable New York)

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%

1933, 1st May & Nov.	100.60	101.10
1934, 1st May & Nov.	101.10	101.60

DOMINION LOAN

1943, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	100.60	101.10
1940, 1st Mar. & Sept., 4½%	93.75	94.25
1944, 15th Apr. & Oct., 4½%	85.75	86.25
1946, 1st Feb. & Aug., 4½%	85.00	87.00

Add accrued interest to date.

1927, 42 days, $48 per $100.
1972, 1933, 1934, 73 days, 1.100 per $100.
1943, 90 days, 1.222 per $100.
1944, 96 days, 1.100 per $100.
1946, 165 days, 2.834 per $100.

Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans, ¼ of 1%.

ACTIVITY IS EXCEPTIONAL AT TORONTO

Strong Undertone in Evidence on Stock and Mining Exchange — Copper Issues in Good Demand

NICKEL CONTINUES ITS UPWARD MOVE

(Stobie, Forlong & Co.)

TORONTO, Jan. 13.—Exceptional activity featured the trading on the Toronto Stock and Mining Exchange, with strong undertone in evidence. Trading was not concentrated on only a few issues, as has been the case for some time past, but activity was well scattered across the board. The copper issues were in good demand. Judging from the reports originating in New York since the first of the year, there is little prospect of a decline in the price of copper for at least three months. Forward delivery buying developed new life, and at the moment it appears that commitments for the first quarter of the year will be a fairly high average. Judging from today's session, it would appear that buying interest has again entered the market, and continued brisk trading is looked for in all classes of issues.

In the mining section, International again continued its move to higher levels, and stock at close showed nte gain of 95c at 35.75. In having produced approximately $40,000,000 during 1929, International Nickel established a high record for all time for any mining enterprise in Canada. The output obtained by this one company in 1929 was greater than the combined production of all mines in Ontario back in 1920 and 1922. Noranda at last sale showed net gain of 50c. Of the Lindsleys group, Sudbury Basin was the heaviest trader from opening of 3.10 to close at 3.38, net gain of 28c.

Sherritt-Gordon also was very active, and at close recorded net gain of 7c.

Falconbridge Nickel appreciated 10c, and Ventures receded 5c. Pend Oreille, under exceptionally heavy demand, closed 3.80, a net gain of 80c. Hudson's Bay was 40c higher than Saturday's last quotation at last sale of 10.40.

The gold issues also came in for good play today.

Strength was noted also in Abana, Dome, Hollinger, Kirkland Lake, Manitoba Basin, Nipissing and Siscoe. The other mining issues traded near recent levels, and, although some losses were recorded, recessions were within small proportions.

Strength in Home Oil featured trading in the oil section. Stock opened firm, but under good demand closed 8.40, net gain of 15c. Calmont also was a strong trader and at close registered gain of 12c. Gains were also noted in Dalhousie, Mayland and Southwest Pete. At close of the session no drastic changes were noted in this section of the board.

(H. E. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Abana	1.26	1.24	1.25
Amulet	1.65	1.65	1.65
Arno	21	21	21
Berry Hollinger	16¼	15¼	16¼
Base Metal	3.40	3.35	3.36
Bi-thurst	.04	.04	.04
Bidgood	.08	.08	.08
Big Missouri	64	64	64
Cent. Manitoba	25	25	25
Chem. Research	6.25	6.25	6.25
Dome	7.00	7.00	7.00
Falconbridge	4.60	4.51	4.60
Granada	13½	13	13½
Hollinger	5.00	5.00	5.00
Howey	.90	.85	.89
Hudson Bay	10.30	10.15	10.30
Int. Nickel	35.60	34.85	35.60
Kirkland Lake	.68	.54	.58
Knotenay Flor.	.07	.07	.07
Lake Shore	13.40	13.25	13.40
Manitoba Basin	.15	.14	.15
McIntyre	16.50	16½	13.50
Mining Corpn.	2.85	2.85	2.85
Newbec	18¾	18	18½
Nipissing	1.56	1.56	1.56
Noranda	36.50	35.75	23.50
Pend Oreille	3.65	3.00	3.75
Peterson Cobalt	.17	.17	.17
Premier	1.57	1.55	1.55
San Antonio	19¾	19¾	19¾
Sherritt Gordon	2.85	2.83	2.31
Siscoe	49½	48	48½
Stadaeona	03½	03¼	03¾
Sudbury Basin	3.13	3.00	3.15
Teck Hughes	5.10	5.00	6.05
Ventures	2.75	2.70	2.70
Vipond	.87	.87	.87
Wright Hars.	1.56	1.52	1.53
	OILS		
Alex	1.50	1.48	1.50
A.P. Cons	1.72	1.65	1.70
Calmont	1.35	1.21	1.30
C. & E. Corpn.	2.80	2.80	2.80
Dalhousie	1.72	1.65	1.72
Eastcrest	1.01	1.00	1.01
Home Oil	8.80	8.25	8.40
Imperial	27.00	27.00	27.00
Mayland	1.60	1.60	1.60
Norden	1.50	1.50	1.50
Sterling Pacific	70	70	70
Southwest Pete	1.01	1.00	1.00
Wainwell	12	12	12

OUTLOOK IMPROVED IN B.C. OIL FIELDS

Resume Operations in Flathead Valley in Spring—9,000 Acres Leased

(Meherey, Roe & Co., Ltd.)

According to advice supplied to us from reliable sources it appears that the British Columbia oil fields have an improved outlook, and that operations will be resumed in the Flathead Valley in the Spring. Particulars of progress in development work on the Sage Creek structure or Flathead Valley were presented to shareholders of the Amalgamated Oil Company at the annual meeting held in Vancouver last Wednesday. About 9,000 acres of the original holdings have been leased to operators for development on a royalty of 12½ per cent on all production. It is said that operations during the past year have been the most interesting and successful in the history of the company.

It appears that the flow is increasing at the Model well located in the Northern portion of the Turner Valley field. Officials of the company state that the well is approaching the lime formation and that the recent increases in the flow of gas bring the total to around 1,500,000 cubic feet per day. Thursday's report from the field showed drillers approaching 5,600 feet.

Spooner No. 1 is reported to have secured an increased flow of gas, following the drilling out of the bridge found in the hole some time ago while preparations were being made to shoot the well. It was stated that the old production of around 50 barrels a day had been recovered. The company has another producer in its No. 2 well, last reported as also making around 50 barrels a day.

The derrick at McDougall-Segur No. 4 was burned to the ground a few days ago. Operations will be resumed as soon as the derrick has been completed. It is said that a string of tools was caught in the hole at the outbreak, but that little difficulty is anticipated in fishing them from the hole.

Several amalgamations are expected among the Alberta oil companies and the news to come within the next few weeks should be of great interest to shareholders in many companies.

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WELLINGTON DERRICK DESTROYED BY FIRE

Well Near Home Producers Not Believed Damaged—Will Resume Drilling Soon

(Stobie, Forlong & Co.)

CALGARY, Jan. 13.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the derrick and drilling tools at Wellington on Saturday night. The well is not believed to be damaged and drilling from about twenty-five feet in the lime will be resumed as soon as a new derrick can be erected. This well is located a short distance southeast of the Home producers.

Mercury No. 3 on Sunday was preparing to deepen from 4,817 feet, after an unsuccessful test of the Dalhousie sands. The lime is expected at about 5,100 feet. No. 2 was testing the Dalhousie sands. A contract has been let for the erection of a new derrick to replace that destroyed by fire several days ago.

A. P. Consolidated No. 1 was running in tools on Sunday night after setting and cementing casing at 5,118 feet in the lime on Sunday night. The bit was working in harder formation.

Western Alberta, on the Highwood structure, was drilling from 2,960 feet on Saturday.

Mayland No. 1 was preparing for a test for production on Sunday and it was not expected that removal of the drilling fluid would be started before Tuesday or Wednesday. No 2 encountered another delay on Sunday, when tools became stuck at 3,950 feet due to caving. It is not expected the delay will be serious.

Lowery, just south of Associated No. 1, was drilling at 5,090 feet on Sunday and expecting the lime within a few feet.

Eastcrest No. 1 is tearing out rotary equipment to make way for diamond drilling. No. 2 was drilling at 1,780 feet last night with progress slowed by caving.

Mill City Pete was drilling at 4,275 feet and fifty-five feet in the Dalhousie sands last night.

Homestead was cleaning at 3,970 feet after drilling out cement set at 4,000 feet to stop caving.

Baltac, in running casing to the top of the lime, encountered an obstruction and pulled out the casing again. On Sunday night the hole was being under-reamed at 350 feet from the bottom and it was expected the casing would be run to the bottom in a day or two.

Home No. 4 was drilling at 5,485 feet and about seventy-two feet in the lime on Sunday. The crew believed they had encountered an increase in gas at about 5,485 feet. No. 6 was drilling at 1,170 feet after straightening a short piece of hole.

Reynolds' portrait of Captain John Foote, of Tor Grove, near Plymouth, England, for which the artist received $210, was recently sold in London for $8,400.

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

PRICES JUMP UPWARD WITH GOOD DEMAND

Oil Stocks Specially Firmer and Many on List Make Substantial Appreciation in Values

HEAVY TRADE IS MARKET FEATURE

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13. — Short covering, mostly for the professional account, sent prices rapidly upward on the Stock Exchange today, and despite some profit taking near the close, values were around the high of the day. Oils were in heavy demand as well as a number of mining issues.

Pend Oreille, starting 80 cents firmer at $3.90, touched $3.95 and finished 70 cents net higher at $3.75. Reeves, on a big trade, worked up to $1.50 and finished 18 cents firmer at $1.38. George Copper was 25 cents stronger at $3.25, while several other mines scored gains of 1 to 2 points.

Heavy trade in oils featured the market, Calmont, Dalhousie and A.P.C, being the active leaders. Home, selling up to $8.50, closed 35 cents stronger at $8.40. McLeod, on a fair trade, was 65 cents firmer at $2.85. Royalite jumped $3 to $53, and C. & E. 24 cents to $2.81. Dalhousie was 21 cents firmer at $1.81, A.P.C. 14 cents up at $1.80, Calmont 8 cents at $1.34, and Mayland 25 cents at $1.85. The balance of the list ranged from steady to 10 points stronger.

MORNING SALES

Oils

Calmont—100 at 1.28; 200 at 1.27; 300 at 1.38; 1,700 at 1.29; 2,000 at 1.30; 1,000 at 1.31; 1,200 at 1.32; 3,525 at 1.33; 1,300 at 1.34; 1,100 at 1.36; 450 at 1.36; 100 at 1.37.
Commonwealth—100 at .50; 300 at .31.
Dalhousie—100 at 1.70; 100 at 1.71; 1,350 at 1.72; 1,400 at 1.73; 1,300 at 1.74; 400 at 1.75.
Devenish—200 at .13.
Fabyan—300 at .07¼; 1,400 at .07¾.
Freehold—300 at .60; 200 at .70.
Harral—100 at 1.00; 100 at 1.10.
Home—100 at 8.35; 100 at 8.30; 75 at 8.35.
Illinois-Alberta—300 at .35.
Mayland—100 at 1.85; 400 at 1.70.
Merland—300 at .71; 100 at .74; 200 at .75.
Mercury—1,900 at .63; 800 at .64.
McLeod—50 at 2.35; 100 at 2.40.
Mill City—1,000 at 1.98; 300 at 1.70; 700 at 1.75; 100 at 1.80.
Model—100 at .36.
Okalta, new—300 at 1.42; 100 at 1.43.
Royalite—19 at 52.00.
Southwest—2,000 at 1.10.
Spooner—300 at .31.
Sterling Pacific—1,000 at .70; 850 at .72; 25 at .76.
Vanalta—500 at 1.15.
United—1,500 at .76; 230 at .77; 200 at .73, 2,350 at .80; 300 at .81.

Mines

Reeves-MacDonald—700 at 1.31; 600 at 1.32; 1,100 at 1.33; 300 at 1.34; 800 at 1.35; 400 at 1.36; 200 at 1.37; 100 at 1.38; 1,200 at 1.40; 300 at 1.41; 100 at 1.42; 100 at 1.43; 50 at 1.44; 1,925 at 1.45; 1,150 at 1.46; 900 at 1.47; 400 at 1.48; 600 at 1.49; 1,300 at 1.50; 100 at 1.59.
Big Missouri—100 at .62.
Cork Province—15,000 at .04; 1,000 at .05½.
Duthie Mines—400 at .47; 500 at .49.
George Copper—300 at 3.00; 200 at 3.15.
Independence—1,000 at .04¼.
Mohawk—900 at .01½.
National Silver—1,000 at .07.
Pend Oreille—20 at 3.70; 400 at 3.72; 200 at 3.73; 1,600 at 3.75; 1,300 at 3.80; 1,610 at 3.90; 1,400 at 3.95.
Grandview—3,000 at .14; 3,000 at .14¼; 3,300 at .15.
Lucky Jim—6,500 at .05.
Noble Five—1,500 at .33; 400 at .34¼; 3,300 at .35; 1,100 at .36.
Oregon Copper—500 at .11.
Planet Mines—300 at .42.
Premier Gold—100 at 1.59; 1,100 at 1.55; 28 at 1.58.
Premier Border—2,500 at .03.
Ruth Hope—3,000 at .20.
Golconda—2,000 at .81½; 1,000 at .82; 14,300 at .95; 100 at .97; 100 at .98.
Silvarcrest—6,500 at .06.
Silversup—3,000 at .09.
Slocan King—2,000 at .09.
Slocan Rambler—1,000 at .04.
Snowflake—800 at .12; 3,000 at .13.
Topley Richfield—1,000 at .05.
Toric—2,000 at .60.

AFTERNOON SALES

Oils

Amalgamated—200 at .09.
A.P.C.—20 at 1.70; 225 at 1.71; 100 at 1.73; 120 at 1.73; 2,150 at 1.74; 1,975 at 1.75; 125 at 1.77; 100 at 1.79; 1,150 at 1.80; 700 at 1.81; 300 at 1.82; 100 at 1.83; 300 at 1.84; 900 at 1.85; 600 at 1.88.
Homestead—300 at .69.
Associated—100 at 1.05.
Baltac—50 at .80.
British Dominion—100 at .91.
Commonwealth—100 at .53; 200 at .55.
Fabyan Pete.—1,500 at .07¼; 50 at .07½.
Illinois—500 at .36; 200 at .37; 100 at .39.
Calmont—100 at 1.31; 3,050 at 1.32; 5,760 at 1.33; 1,400 at 1.34.
C. & E.—300 at 2.86; 100 at 2.68; 100 at 2.69; 1,040 at 2.70; 500 at 2.71; 100 at 2.73; 100 at 2.73; 320 at 2.80.
Eastcrest—1,000 at 1.04; 1,700 at 1.05; 300 at 1.07.
Freehold—100 at .72.
Harral Oil—40 at 1.05; 1,350 at 1.10; 200 at 1.12.
Merland Oil—900 at .75; 100 at .77.
McDougall, new—100 at .76.
Home Oil.—1,905 at 8.35; 80 at 8.30; 1,200 at 8.40; 300 at 8.50.
Dalhousie—400 at 1.74; 100 at 1.73; 600 at 1.77; 60 at 1.78; 900 at 1.79; 3,883 at 1.80; 600 at 1.82; 200 at 1.83; 400 at 1.84; 2,073 at 1.85; 80 at 1.86.
Mayland—60 at 1.70; 100 at 1.75; 100 at 1.80; 1,400 at 1.86; 800 at 1.90.
Mercury Oil—300 at .64; 250 at .65; 100 at .66; 1,300 at .67; 1,423 at .69.
McLeod Oil—100 at 2.50; 300 at 2.35; 100 at 2.60; 60 0a1 2.65; 100 at 2.70; 780 at 2.80; 300 at 2.85; 400 at 2.90.
Mill City—100 at 1.82; 100 at 1.85; 850 at 1.90.
Model Oil—100 at .40.
Regent Oil—100 at .32.
Southwest—800 at 1.10.
Spooner Oil—100 at .31; 100 at .35.
Sterling—200 at .70; 1,900 at .71; 1,450 at .72; 30 at .73.
United Oils—100 at .79; 1,300 at .82; 3,400 at .83; 700 at .84; 1,500 at .86.

Mines

Bayview—3,000 at .02.
Bluebird—500 at .06.
Duthie Mines—400 at .48.
Enterprise—10,000 at .10.
George Copper—50 at 3.30; 50 at 3.35.
Golconda—1,000 at .90; 1,200 at .95.
Independence—200 at .04½.
Mohawk—500 at .03.
Oregon Copper—100 at .10; 1,000 at .11; 4,000 at .11¼.
Grandview—16,800 at .13; 1,00 at .13¼; 3,000 at .13½; 8,600 at .14; 1,400 at .13.
Noble Five—1,300 at .36.
Premier—300 at 1.54; 300 at 1.53.
Ruth Hope—500 at .18.
Pend Oreille—50 at 3.72; 100 at 3.73; 350 at 3.76; 150 at 3.75.
Snowflake—1,000 at .13; 1,000 at .13½; 4,400 at .13.
Sunloch—1,025 at .70.
Woodbine—7,500 at .02.
Sherrit Gordon—150 at 2.35.
Reeves-McDonald—1,000 at 1.38; 100 at 1.39; 1,200 at 1.40; 400 at 1.42; 200 at 1.43.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13.—Futures quotations:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
January	133⅝b	133⅝b	132⅝a	132⅝b
March	135⅝b	135⅝b	134⅝a	134⅝b

Cash—No. 1 Northern, 131⅛; No. 2 Northern, 128⅛; No. 3 Northern, 123⅛; No. 4 wheat, 113⅛; No. 5 wheat, 109⅛; No. 6 wheat, 99⅛; feed, 99⅛.

NEW YORK MART A TAME AFFAIR

Prices Move on Whole Within Narrow Range — Undertone, However, Remains Firm

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—A description of today's market does not require any great amount of detail regarding the movement of groups or of individual issues, but it may be summed up by stating that it was quite a tame affair, with prices on the whole moving within a narrow range. At the same time, however, a firm undertone was present, the features, such as they were, consisted chiefly of weakness in the copper shares, evidently brought about by the increased stocks of refined metals in December and the expectation of further increased stocks of January. It is stated that production schedules apparently will have to be brought down to the 1927 rate to deal with the present situation. Also the motor shares lagged, probably as the result of abatement of speculative interest now that the automobile show is over.

The firm spots were in the rail and utility and steel groups. The first two were probably sustained by the recent decision of the Supreme Court in the Baltimore gas case, in which it is believed that advantageous principles of valuation have been laid down applicable to the rails as well as to the utilities. The latter also have the incentive of merger developments to attract speculative interest. Fox Film provided further interest through the announcement that the directors had not definitely decided to pay dividend in scrip, which is considerable modification of the statement which appeared Saturday. A somewhat more constructive feature was furnished by the announcement that the Liggett store had advanced cigarette retail prices. The fact that this points to ultimate stabilization of the tobacco business had a moderately bullish effect on the tobacco manufacturing stocks. The belief exists in many quarters that overhanging stock has become very much lessened as a market factor, one sign being that on declines the volume of trade has dwindled.

While the desire to lay a firm foundation for future bullish operations may preclude any active upward movement in stocks during the immediate future we believe fluctuations in the meantime will be sufficient to make possible moderate profits and that the buying side is the logical one from which to operate.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Bar silver 21 7-16d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Bar silver 46 1-4. Mexican dollars 34 1-2.

GERMAN RATE DOWN

BERLIN, Jan. 13.—The Reichsbank today reduced its discount rate a half per cent to 6 1-2 per cent. The Lombard rate was reduced to 7 1-2 per cent.

Spain's first olive-oil congress was recently held at Saville.

UNDERTONE OF WHEAT HEAVY FROM START

Local and Commission House Selling Fairly General in Early Part of Session in Chicago

CORN IS STRONG IN SPITE OF BREAK

(B.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Wheat showed a heavy undertone from the start. Liverpool cables were easier and there was fairly general local and commission house selling early. At the inside, May was off around 2¼ cents from the previous close, with best support coming from shorts and on resting orders. At Minneapolis No. 1 was offered in the sample market at $1.25 or the same as the Farm Board loan price. There was a noticeable lack of foreign demand for cash wheat at the seaboard, although sales of 300,000 to 400,000 bushels were reported, mainly Manitobas. Liverpool closed unchanged to 5-8 lower. France sold some wheat to United Kingdom during the day.

Buenos Aires was unchanged to ½ cent lower at midday.

Corn showed strength when the break in wheat is considered, and while averaging slightly lower, there was no material pressure. Weather conditions over the belt were generally unfavorable for the movement, and there were also complaints from Illinois and Indiana regarding the quality. Buenos Aires was unchanged to ⅝ cent higher at midday.

Oats and rye averaged lower with other grains, with trade light.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Mar.	126	126	124⅛	125½
July	130⅝	130⅝	129⅛	130⅝
May	129⅛	129⅛	127⅞	129⅝
Jan.	121⅛	121⅛	120⅝	120⅝
Corn—				
Mar.	92⅛	93	92⅛	93
July	97	97⅝	96⅝	97⅛
May	95⅛	95⅝	95	95⅝
Oats—				
Mar.	47⅝	47⅝	47⅜	47⅛
July	47⅝	47⅝	47⅛	47⅜
May	49⅝	49⅝	48⅝	48⅝
Rye—				
Mar.	102⅛	102⅛	102	102⅛
July	97	97⅛	96⅛	96⅝
May	99⅛	99⅛	99	99⅝

INDEMNITIES FOR TUESDAY

Wheat—	Bid	Offer
Mar.	123⅛	127
July	129⅝	132⅝
May	127⅛	131⅛
Corn—		
Mar.	..	93⅛
July	..	97⅝
May	95⅛	96⅛

CHICAGO GRAIN CASH CLOSE

Wheat—No. 3 R., 122¾; 2 H., 123; 3 H., 118; 4 M., 120.
Corn—No. 2 M., 87; 3 M., 86; 4 M., 84 @ 84½; 3 Y., 86¾ @ 88; 4 Y., 94 @ 95¼; 4 W., 85¼ @ 87.
Oats—No. 2 W., 49¼ @ 47; 3 W., 44¼ @ 46.
Rye—None.

Oregon Copper Diamond Drill Cuts Extension

(Solloway, Mills & Co., Ltd.)

TORONTO, Jan. 13.—Diamond drilling on Oregon Copper has picked up downward extension of the Balm Creek faulted vein and the location of faulted ore body is believed not difficult. Company's treasury resources reported sufficient for continued diamond drilling but not large. Details of new financing are not yet completed.

Lake Shore is now installing machinery in the new extension to the mill on west side, also hoisting 1,500 to 1,550 tons of ore per day through No. 1 shaft. They are putting in steel girders in the new shaft where cave-in occurred, and this is being reinforced with concrete. It is expected to have this work completed in the course of a few weeks.

Nickel's payroll is now $1,100,000 monthly, and it is hardly equal to the payroll of contractors who are working on the new refinery, smelter and concentrator. This means that Sudbury people have available each month the best part of over $2,000,000.

Base Metals Monarch mine will shortly be stepped up to 10,000 tons per month. The new mill has been running very smoothly and producing a 57 per cent to 60 per cent zinc concentrate and a 75 per cent lead concentrate. The lead concentrates are shipped to Selby smelter, San Francisco, and the zinc to Japan.

FOREIGN BONDS

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Antioquia 7's, 1945 "A"	71⅞	72⅞
Argentina 6's, 1959	89⅛	89⅝
Austrian 7's, 1943	104¼	104⅝
Belgian 6's, 1955	101¼	101⅝
Belgian 7's, 1956	107¼	107⅝
Bolivia 8's, 1947	83¼	83⅞
Bogota 8's, 1945	84⅝	85⅛
Brazil 8⅛'s, 1937	78⅛	79⅛
Denmark 5½'s, 1955	98½	99
French 7's, 1941	112⅛	113
French 7½'s, 1941	116⅛	116⅝
Fr. 6⅝ 7's	103⅛	104
German 7's, 1949	106⅛	107
Italy 7's, 1951	95⅛	89
PU 7's, 1967	92⅛	93⅛
Lyons 6's, 1934	103⅛	104⅛
M&S 6's, 1934	102⅛	103
New York 6's, 1944	103⅛	104⅛
Polish 8's, 1940	76⅛	77⅛
PRY 6's, 1959	102⅛	103
Reina 7's, 1943	107⅛	103
96S 6's, 1958	102⅛	103⅛
Uruguay 8's, 1946	103⅝	104⅝

METAL MARKET

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Standard copper, spot £71 12s 6d; futures £69 7s 6d. Electrolytic, spot £83 5s; futures £83 15s. Tin, spot £175; futures £178 5s. Lead, spot and futures £21 12s 6d. Zinc, spot £19 17s 6d; futures £20.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Copper steady; electrolytic, spot and futures 18. Iron quiet. No. 2 f.o.b. Eastern Pennsylvania 20.00 to 21.00; Buffalo 17.00 to 17.50; Alabama 13.50 to 15.00. Tin, easy, spot and nearby 38.75; futures 39.37. Lead steady, spot New York 6.25; East St. Louis 6.10. Zinc quiet, East St. Louis spot and futures 5.25. Antimony 8.50. Quicksilver 123.00.

Tape Topics

More directly due, it is believed in some quarters here, to short covering than to any other particular cause, there was a very active market in the local oils and mines yesterday. There was also a considerable increase in the number of visitors to the brokers' offices in the city. In the mines, Reeves MacDonald and Pend Oreille monopolized chief attention, and in the oils Calmont, C. & E. and Dalhousie were leaders in the trading.

Reeves MacDonald had most sales in the mines. Opening at $1.36 this stock closed at $1.38 to $1.40, in the course of its fluctuations touching $1.50 as the high and $1.31 as the low marks, the last sale being at $1.40. Pend Oreille, from an opening at $3.90, touched $3.95, then going from $3.80 to $3.72 and closing at $3.75-$3.80, with last sale at $3.76. Premier sold around $1.55, Noble Five around 36c, Grandview, which opened at 14 cents, kept within a cent or two of that figure, and Golconda, from an opening at 91 1-4 cents, touched 98 cents and closed with a last sale at 90 cents.

Practically all the oils were on the upward grade, Calmont, opening at $1.28, closed at $1.33-$1.34, touching $1.36, with the last sale at 3 cents less. C. & E., whose opening price was $1.70, closed at $2.81-$2.83, and Dalhousie, from a start at $1.70, closed at $1.80-$1.82, after touching $1.88. A.P. Consolidated opened at $1.72 and after heavy buying had forced the price up, closed at $1.80-$1.85. United went from 78 cents to 84 cents, with the last sale at 82 cents.

The largest advance in the oils was made by McLeod, which, from an opening price of $2.35 traveled to $2.90 and closed at $2.85. Home opened at $8.35 and closed at $8.40-$8.50. Sterling Pacific went from 70 to 75 cents before closing at 70-72 cents. Mayland reached $1.90 after opening at $1.65, and closed at $1.85-$1.90. Mercury sold at 63 to 68 cents, and Mill City's price advanced from $1.75 to $1.90, closing at $1.90-$1.95.

At Toronto, Pend Oreille was a considerable medium for trading, going from $3.05 to $3.85. Sudbury Basin, from $3, reached $3.35, with $3.40-$3.45 quoted at the close. Sherritt Gordon, opening at $2.85, touched $2.95 and closed at $2.91-$2.95. Noranda opened at $35.90 and closed at $36.45-$36.50. International Nickel, from $35, closed 80 to 95 cents up, and Teck Hughes, from $5 at the opening, closed at $5.10-$5.15.

Trading at New York was described as being a very tame affair. In the first hour only 194,500 shares changed hands, and the total sales for the day only amounted to 1,449,100; prices, as a whole, moved within a narrow range with, however, a firm tone apparent. All the averages were up, industrials being 0.91, rails 0.90, and utilities 0.33.

Following Atcheson's run from 232 3-4 to 227 1-2, with a close at 226, rails advanced before selling off slightly at the close, making a net gain of 0.90. The weakness in the copper stocks was said to be due to the increased stocks of refined metals in December and the expectation of further increases this month, and the lagging of the motor shares was attributed to the abatement of speculative interest following the ending of the show. The opinion of a leading New York firm is that the buying side is the logical one from which to operate.

OUTLOOK FOR STEEL DIMMED

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

The outlook for steel company earings in the first quarter of this year has been considerably dimmed by the weakness shown in the prices of finished products. Production has started to pull out of the year-end slump and a moderate rate of improvement is expected in the coming months, but lower prices will nullify the results of the increased output. Bars, plates, shapes, black sheets, galvanized sheets, auto body sheets, strips, wire nails and plain wire have been shaded from $1 to $2 a ton. Producers are making efforts to stabilize the price situation, but unless it is a very pronounced increase in demand it is unlikely that much progress will be made. The losses in prices at the present time follow less serious shading which took place the end of the third quarter.

Wall Street is puzzled by the delay in the announcement of the consummation of a merger of Standard Oil of New York and Vacuum Oil. Agreed upon some months ago, this consolidation is believed to have run into difficulties, and the oil executives not directly involved in the transaction, are wondering whether there has been interference by the Federal Government.

Long-standing reports that the Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation would absorb the Rio Grande Oil Company of California and Texas, and might effect a merger with Prairie Oil & Gas, received further impetus Saturday, when it was learned that Harry F. Sinclair and other officials of the Sinclair Company had left for the West Coast to inspect the Rio Grande properties.

Further curtailment of production, rather than an increase in price, appears to be the means which the copper industry will follow in working off stocks of refined and in readjusting operations to a new method of consumer buying.

The Radio Corporation of America should be compelled to lease or sell some of its patents for use of American press, Joseph Pierson, president of Press Wireless, Inc., told a Senate Committee considering communication bill. "Radio Corporation," said Mr. Pierson, "has built up a monopoly of radio equipment through its patents and refuses to sell any of its rights to the Press Wireless Company, which has been granted twenty transocean wave lengths for use of newspapers and press associations of this country."

New York cables opened in London 4.86 31-32; Paris cheques, 123.90; Brussels, 34.945; Italy, 9.015, and Berlin, 20.405.

London Rubber stocks on January 11 totaled 58,990 tons, an increase of 2,374 over last week.

The German Reichsbank has reduced its rediscount rate to 6 1-2 per cent from 7 per cent.

Daily average crude oil production of California in week ended January 11 was 701,300 barrels, increase of 2,000 barrels over previous week.

Dow Jones Averages—Thirty industrials, high 249.49; low, 247.38; last, 248.71; off 1.32. Twenty rails, high 145.64; low, 145.05; last, 145.42; off 0.14. Twenty utilities, 88.31; off 0.33. Forty bonds, 94.31; off 0.03.

GRANDVIEW MINES ANNUAL MEETING ELECTS OFFICERS

SPOKANE, Jan. 13.—Stockholders of the Grandview Mines Company held their annual meeting here today, elected directors and heard reports of officers.

Total quick assets of the company, it was reported, totaled $48,829.88. The directors reported they had decided to withhold shipments of zinc concentrates for a more favorable market, but to continue shipment of lead concentrates. Receipts during the year totaled $394,996.58, and approximately 50,600 tons of ore were milled between March and December.

Directors elected: Messrs. John Davies, Thaddeus Lane, Frank McCullough, James Ramage and Guy Riegel, of Spokane, and Fred Wolf, Newport.

The company has about 2,300 stockholders.

MONEY MARKET

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Money, 4 1-8 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 1-8 to 4 3-16 per cent; three months' bills, 4 1-8 to 4 1-8 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

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Life annuities are being sold by the Japanese Government.

The Money That Flew Away



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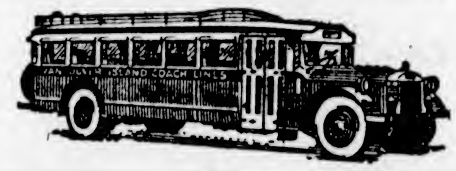
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CHANDLER—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on January 13, to Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Chandler (nee Martin), 2087 Penrose Road, a son.

ROBERTSON—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on January 12, to Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Robertson, Lake Hill, V.I., a daughter.

2 DEATHS

MARRIOTT—Suddenly at Vancouver, B.C., January 12, Ruth, beloved second daughter of Guy and Gladys Marriott, and granddaughter of Captain W. J. Reni, of this city.

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A SCOTCH DANCE WILL BE HELD in the Eagles Hall, Government St., on January 17, 8.30 p.m. Admission 50c. Refreshments. Mackie's orchestra.

A PARTNER WHIST DRIVE TONIGHT (Tuesday), 8.30, 1230 Government St. Usual good prizes.

A NIGHT WI' BURNS, in supper, song and dance, the Knights and Dames of the Thistle's annual Burns night, at the A.O.F. Hall, January 24, 8 p.m.; Findler's Orchestra. Admission $1.

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PRIDE OF THE ISLAND LODGE, SONS of England, Benefit Society, at S.O.E. Hall, Broad Street, Tuesday, January 14, will hold annual installation of officers. Lodge opens at 7.30 sharp and all members are requested to attend.

PURPLE STAR LODGE REGULAR meeting, Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock, Orange Hall.

10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN Society regular meeting, Thursday, January 16, 7.45 p.m. sharp, A.O.F. Hall. Special business and special announcement. Social will follow. Ladies, please bring refreshments.

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EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, on large lot, close in.
SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, HAULTAIN district; garage, fruit trees. Apply Box 3765, Colonist.

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ABSENTEE OWNER SACRIFICES MODern OAK BAY seven-room bungalow. Open fire in living room and cosy den, three bedrooms, basement and furnace. Property is in excellent condition. Beautiful garden occupying two lots. Phone 5906 for particulars. Rosevear & Gordon, 212 Union Building.

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CLOSE TO THE UPLANDS—SPECIAL
A Wonderful View of the Sea
High Elevation
Just Completed. Immediate Possession
ATTRACTIVE five-room semi-bungalow, with two unfinished rooms in the attic would cost $250 to complete. Hardwood floors in the hall, reception room and dining-room. Very large reception room with open fireplace. Full size cemented basement, stationary tubs, hot-air furnace. Garage in basement. Average lot. Very low taxes. Exceptionally well constructed. Very reasonable terms. Morgan to assume at 7%.
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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

MAGNIFICENT RESIDENCE
TO BE SACRIFICED AT
$15,000

ADJACENT TO ROCKLAND AVENUE, in the most exclusive residential locality, commanding EXTENSIVE VIEWS of sea and mountains and the surrounding country.

This is a well-constructed and charming home, with lovely grounds, and in a very convenient location. For immediate disposal our clients instruct us to cut the listed price of $25,000 in order to effect a quick sale.

The rooms are spacious and well lighted, and the house is very comfortably heated by hot water furnace. Five bedrooms and two bathrooms on second floor. Double garage. Large reception hall, with well-laid hardwood floor and open fireplace. Large drawing-room, dining-room and library.

NOTE—This home is well built and in excellent repair. It is one of the choicest view properties in Victoria. As we have no doubt that an early sale will be effected, we advise intending purchasers to see us at once for an appointment to view.

PRICE ONLY $15,000

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Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agents
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UNOBSTRUCTED SEA VIEW
FIVE-ROOM bungalow, with bathroom, pantry and basement; close to the sea.

$1275

ROBERT S. DAY & SON, LIMITED
1124 Broad Street

1600 CASH NEAR SEA

FIVE-ROOM bungalow; entrance hall; living-room, large open fireplace; dining-room, built-in buffet; two bedrooms; 3-piece bathroom; large kitchen, exceptionally well fitted; full cement basement; hot air furnace; gas laid on in house. Garage. This property is in A-1 condition inside and out. Excellent garden, well stocked with roses, bulbs and other shrubs. Price

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FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, two bedrooms, large entrance hall. Hot-water heat, open fireplace. On good-sized grounds. On easy terms $3300

SIX-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW, two bedrooms; den and sitting-room have open fireplaces; hot-air furnace. Oak floors in main rooms. Garage $4750

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FAIRFIELD—FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, with basement, furnace, garage; full-sized lot. Good location. Price $3000

40 ACRES, 10 ACRES UNDER CULTIvation. First-class 8-room bungalow, bath, toilet, hot and cold water. Barn and other outbuildings. Sixty fruit trees. Land all fenced; 660 feet road frontage. Running stream through property. All good soil. Price $8000

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SAVE YOURSELF THE TROUBLE
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$3150

MEHAREY, ROE & CO., LTD.
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UNOBSTRUCTED SEA VIEW
NEW stucco house, with six rooms and a lovely sunroom giving a very fine view of sea and mountains and passing ships. Every room has hardwood floors, bathroom and toilet are tiled, and a warm plastered garage finished in the same manner. Full particulars from

ROBERT S. DAY & SON, LIMITED
1124 Broad Street

STUCCO BUNGALOW—CLOSE TO SEA
OAK BAY

SIX LARGE ROOMS, vestibule, French doors to drawing-room and cosy dining-room, pretty open fireplace, oak floors, Dutch kitchen with breakfast nook, three fine bedrooms, ample closets, bathroom, latest fittings; cement foundations and cellar floor, also walks and driveway, furnace. Large lot. Price $6,000. I have personally inspected this home. It is without doubt a bargain at the price.

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OAK BAY

TO RENT, UNFURNISHED—8-room bungalow, in the best part of Oak Bay. Contains large living-room, dining-room, 2 bedrooms, nice garden and garage. Will lease for one year from February 1 for $50 per month.

This is a real home, and can be purchased on terms for

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THREE ROOMS, ALL LARGE, CLOSE IN
Consisting of living room, bedroom, cabinet kitchen, bath and toilet, full cement basement.
FIVE ROOMS, Oak Bay, close to car and school; modern; $3,150.
SIX ROOMS, all modern, almost one acre in fruit trees; $3,150.

T. S. MONK
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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

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Established 1887
WE WRITE ALL CLASSES OF INSURANCE

NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW, containing six well-planned rooms; attractive design; large corner lot with hedge. This house is strictly modern, including hardwood floors, and is located on one of the city's best streets.

$6750

Price .....

FAIRFIELD
CLOSE TO STREET CAR AND SCHOOL
SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, in very good condition, standing on lot 50 ft. by 240 ft. Nice lawn and garden, with plenty of room for a tennis court. This bungalow has three bedrooms. There is a fireplace in the sitting-room. New hot air furnace. Garage. CAN BE PURCHASED ON EASY TERMS FOR $3,500, OR CASH

$3000

NEAR SUMMIT AVENUE
SITUATED VERY HIGH, with splendid view, THREE-ROOM COTTAGE WITH GARAGE, on nicely treed lot. Price, on terms $1400

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625 Fort Street Phone 3202

5-ROOM SEMI-BUNGALOW
LINDEN AVENUE—BEST PART
THIS is really a wonderfully constructed house, and is in first-class condition. Living-room, den, dining-room, kitchen and one bedroom downstairs and three bedrooms up. This home has many features that appeal to the particular buyer, and must be seen to be appreciated. The rooms are all large, bright and airy. Open fireplaces, washroom and laundry on first floor. Full-sized basement. Hot water heating. Phone us for an appointment to see this really wonderful home

$9000

Price .....
and terms to suit

OAK BAY BUNGALOW—5 ROOMS
PRICE $3,400
FULLY modern bungalow, good location, on corner lot. Living-room with open fireplace, two bedrooms and kitchen. Full-sized cement basement with furnace. Garage. This is a really good buy at the price asked, and is at present unoccupied. If you are in the market let us show you this. Terms to suit.

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Victoria, B.C.

BEAUTIFUL HOME SACRIFICED

$21,000

WELL-CONSTRUCTED and charming home, with lovely grounds and in very convenient location. The rooms are spacious and well lighted, and the house is very comfortably heated by an Oil-O-Matic hot-water plant. Five bedrooms and two bathrooms on second floor, with three more rooms on third floor. Double garage makes this a very complete home and in perfect condition. No phone information. See Mr. Whyte.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Department
Belmont House Victoria

$3400

7-ROOMED MODERN HOME, HIGH LOcation, with view of the water; light, airy rooms; full basement, furnace, garage, ¼-acre lot. This house is in first-class condition.

$2700

6-ROOMED BUNGALOW IN OAK BAY, in A-1 condition; full basement and furnace. This is an artistic home in a good locality.

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OAK BAY SPECIAL
First Time on the Market
COMFORTABLE BUNGALOW OF FIVE ROOMS
With extra bedroom upstairs
BUILT IN ENGLISH DESIGN
Standing on two lots, all set out IN VERY CHARMING GARDEN
High, secluded position on one of the choicest streets in Oak Bay.
OWING TO UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES the owner has priced the property well below the real value. PRICE

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$3750

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18-ROOM MODERN BUILDING, two bathrooms, furnace, cement basement, laundry tubs, etc. Originally constructed for rooming house, with eighteen bedrooms, now arranged partly in suites, with gas logs and sinks with hot and cold water, and the balance as rooms. Fine, big, general dining or living-room, with open fireplace. Property is situated on main thoroughfare, step from car line, and about twenty minutes' walk to centre of town. Wide lane at rear, giving easy access, and with plenty of room for screens or garden. Owner, through ill-health, is not able to carry on business and is therefore willing to sacrifice the property at considerably less than its real value

$8000

SELECT OAK BAY HOME
EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD HOME, containing 7 rooms, well constructed, and in beautiful condition. Entrance hall, fine living-room, leaded glass doors leading to dining-room, and hall, library or den; pass pantry, bright kitchen, wired for electric ranges and water heater. Specially good oak floors in main rooms and hall. Three nice bedrooms with ample closets. Good plumbing, built-in bath, pedestal basin, etc. Efficient hot water heating system. Full cement basement, laundry room, also servants' room. Property is situated on quiet street, close to car line, schools, etc. (New linoleums in bathroom, kitchen and pantry included.)

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$2650—JAMES BAY SEVEN ROOMS, modern; four bedrooms, cement basement, furnace, tubs. Easy terms given.

$3150—FOUL BAY. Attractive five-room bungalow, fully modern, extra large living-room. Close to sea and car. Terms.

$3200—OAK BAY. Pretty five-room bungalow, full cement basement with furnace; garage with cement drive. All blinds, fine and fixtures included. Immediate possession. Terms.

ANDREWS REALTY
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10 MILS POINT
OVERLOOKING CADBORO BAY
5-ROOM modern bungalow; large living-room and dining-room, breakfast nook. Garage. Tastefully laid out grounds, garden and fruit trees.
REDUCED PRICE $5,500
Owner would consider lease with option.
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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

STADACONA PARK DISTRICT
High Part of City, Near Mile Circle
OWNER leaving city wants immediate action. Here is your chance to secure a remarkably nice six-room bungalow at a price which is undoubtedly low, and which cannot be duplicated in any similar high-class district. It has a hot-water furnace, full cement basement with garage for two cars, with enamel wash tubs and extra toilet and sink on back porch. It can be yours for (terms) $4750

OAK BAY
A REAL BARGAIN
A NICE SIX-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW, all up-to-date conveniences, full cement basement, furnace, garage. Price only $5250

NEAR UPLANDS and sea. Brand new five-room stucco bungalow, built-in bath and shower, garage, etc. Price $5250

ONE OF OAK BAY'S SUBSTANTIAL HOMES, on half an acre of ground. A splendidly built house of eight good-size rooms, solid oak floors, hot-water heating, two fireplaces, very nice library. Beautiful grounds, all kinds of flowers and shrubs, and the price has been reduced to $11,500

ROCKLAND AVENUE DISTRICT
A VERY ATTRACTIVE NEW HOUSE OF NINE ROOMS, all the latest fittings, in fact, it is well and beautifully equipped, extra large living-room, large reception hall, hot-water heating. Large lot with nice garden. VIEW OF SEA AND MOUNTAINS. Price $13,500

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Established 1863

5-ROOM BUNGALOW, SOUTH OF OAK Bay Avenue, entrance hall, large panelled living-room with open fireplace, divided by archway from cosy dining-room; two large bedrooms with cupboards, three-piece bathroom; kitchen with sheltered porch and numerous cupboards, basement and furnace; exceptionally pretty garden; on quiet street, close to car and school. We have the exclusive listing of this property and at the price of $3,150 would advise your inspection before purchasing a home. Listing No. 3150.

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FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW
Good District
Extra Large Lot
Phone 913
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914 View Street

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Burglars appear to be prowling around every district. Are your valuables? Only $4 a year per $1,000. Phone us for particulars.

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WE HAVE MANY HOMES IN ALL PARTS OF THE CITY AND SUBURBS AND SHALL BE PLEASED TO SHOW PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS OUR OFFERINGS

$2500—WE have received instructions to sell two dandy four-room bungalows, both in a good state of repair. Within walking distance of the city. Both are rented at $16.50 per month, which shows a splendid return on the investment.

$3750—MODERN HOME ON 2½-MILE CIRCLE. Standing on just over an acre of land, excellent soil. Well-built modern home of seven rooms, hot-water heating, newly painted, inside and out. Entrance hall, living-room and dining-room, four bedrooms, three-piece bathroom. Barn, chicken house, etc.

$5200—NORTH QUADRA STREET. Here is an attractive stucco bungalow of five rooms, strictly modern and in the very best of condition. Surrounded with oak trees and commanding an unsurpassed view. Large, deep lot. Low taxes. Garage. The price includes a good electric range. LET US SHOW YOU THIS LITTLE HOME—WE KNOW IT WILL INTEREST THE MOST FASTIDIOUS BUYER.

For Further Particulars and Appointment to View Apply
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Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
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NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW
NORTH QUADRA DISTRICT
4 ROOMS, VERY WELL PLANNED, FINE, healthy location, low taxes. Two beautiful bedrooms, nice living-room, fireplace, furnace, garage, cement basement and walks. All this at the extremely low price

(ON TERMS)
$3500

VICTORIA REALTY & BUILDING, LIMITED.
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$2000—FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW, with basement and furnace, in good condition inside and out. All rooms large. Close to car and bus, also school. On terms .....

$2200—SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, in first-class order, which there is two-room furnished suite, rented at $19 per month, while the rest is rented at $20. Total revenue $39 per month. This is ideal for small family, and have the revenue of $180 a year from suite. Terms can be arranged.

$700—1¼ ACRES, all cleared, high and dry, with splendid view. Close to Quadra Street. This is ideal for bonsaite or small chicken ranch. Can't be duplicated at this price in Saanich, considering the location.

W. J. GILLILAND & CO.
1303 Douglas Street Phone 5592

$4750
6-ROOM FULLY MODERN BUNGALOW; hardwood floors, den, 3 bedrooms, built-in features, full basement, furnace, garage. This is an exceptional value, and must be sold this month.

MEHAREY, ROE & CO., LTD
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79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

WANTED — FOUR OR FIVE-ROOMED bungalow for client. Good value essential. Esquimalt preferred. Price about $2,000. Heisterman, Forman & Co.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE (Continued)

FINE VIEW LOT, BEACH DRIVE. Phone 7375Y1.

80C OAK BAY

OAK BAY
IN A GOOD LOCALITY—MODERN SIX-room bungalow, containing living-room, dining-room and three bedrooms; hot-air furnace and open fireplace. Two lots in garden. A few minutes' walk from the sea and car line. Owner must sell and has reduced the price to

$4200

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82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

CHOICE SMALL FARM BARGAIN—8½ ACRES, 5 ACRES PLOWED, best black soil, does not dry out; some high land. Well-built 4-roomed house, plastered. Stream runs through pasture, all fenced. Good outbuildings. Seven miles out. No better buy. only $2,750. Bassham & Co., Sayward Building.

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Vancouver Island News

TWO CONTEST REEVESHIP

MR. CARR-HILTON OPPOSES RETURN OF REEVE TISDALL FOR NORTH COWICHAN

Contests in Chemainus and Somenos Words for District Council

DUNCAN, Jan. 13.—The following nominations were received here today by Returning Officer H. M. Ancell, for the North Cowichan elections, which will be held on Saturday next. In the list given below, last year's office holders are marked with an asterisk.

For Reeve—*A. G. Tisdall,, nominated by J. N. Evans and F. C. Robson; E. W. Carr-Hilton, nominated by C. E. Collard and W. H. Mahon.

For Councillors (one to be elected in each case)—Quamichan Ward: *T. J. Paull, nominated by A. H. Peterson and D. R. Hattle. Somenos Ward: *Robert Coates, nominated by J. N. Evans and J. Highstead; Mark Green, nominated by William Herd and F. C. Holmes. Comiskin Ward: *W. B. Buckmaster, nominated by S. K. B. Rice and J. A. E. Cole. Chemainus Ward: *C. H. Price, nominated by N. F. Lang and C. D. B. Ross; W. B. Lathrop, nominated by E. C. Hawkins and L. G. Hill.

For School Trustee—North Cowichan Board (two to be elected): R. E. Barkley, nominated by E. J. Pinson and A. G. W. Cooke; Boudot, nominated by R. E. Barkley and O. W. Highmoor. Consolidated Board, North Cowichan Division (one to be elected): *P. W. Stanhope, nominated by R. S. Cowie and W. M. Dwyer; William Herd, nominated by M. Green and F. C. Holmes.

Courtenay Pioneers Hold Annual Reunion

COURTENAY, Jan. 11. — Some five hundred pioneers gathered in the Native Sons' Hall to participate in the eighth annual re-union here on Friday. Old-time dance music interspersed with up-to-date jazz was provided. The grand march was led by Mayor and Mrs. Theed Pearse in the absence of the senior pioneer.

Efforts to produce talkies in Japan have so far met with failure.

MAYNARD & SONS
AUCTIONEERS

Instructed by the various owners, we will sell at our Salesrooms,
727-733 Pandora Avenue
Wednesday, 1:30 P.M.
Furniture and Furnishings
from a number of homes, particulars of which will appear later, and include some very nice pieces. We will hold our Morning Sale if weather permits.

MAYNARD & SONS
Auctioneers Phone 837

SAANICH MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Meetings will be held as follows:
Ward 1, Jan. 15, 1930, St. Aidan's Hall.
Ward 2, Jan. 16, 1930, Tolmie (New) School.
Ward 3, Jan. 15, 1930, Gordon Head Hall.
Ward 4, January 14, 1930, Women's Institute Hall, Mariaold.
Ward 5, January 13, 1930, Royal Oak School.
Ward 6, January 13, 1930, Temperance Hall, East Saanich Road.
Ward 7, Jan. 16, 1930, Tillicum School.

Further, a meeting will be held at the Lake Hill Community Hall, on January 17.
All meetings to commence at 8 P.M.
R. R. F. SEWELL, C.M.C.

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Auctioneers
SALE TODAY
At 1.30 P.M.
Bungalow Furniture
(As previously advertised)
At 1165 Oxford Street (Fairfield)
Take Cook Street car to Oxford.
On View From 9 A.M.
Terms: Cash and Immediate Removal.
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Largest Selection on Pacific Coast
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SOOKE BRANCH OF LEGION MEETS

SOOKE, Jan. 11.—The annual meeting of the Sooke Branch of the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L. was held in Sooke Hall on Wednesday. The officers elected were as follows: President, F. W. deC. Taylor (re-elected); vice-president, A. Wilson; secretary-treasurer, C. Lucas (re-elected); committee, A. J. Syrett, E. Horwood and A. F. Brownsey. A banquet will be given on the second or third Saturday in February, in the Belvedere Hotel. Tickets will be procurable through the members of the Legion (Sooke Branch) only.

LARGE GATHERING ATTENDS FUNERAL

Mrs. William Lindsay Was Widely Esteemed—Fifty Cars in Cortege to Cemetery

NANAIMO, Jan. 13.—The remains of the late Mrs. (Dr.) William Lindsay, whose death occurred on Wednesday morning, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stewart, Kennedy Street, under the auspices of the Christian Brethren, whose services were conducted by Mr. William Wilson, of Victoria, and Mr. C. McLean, of Vancouver.

The late Mrs. Lindsay had been ill for some time, gradually sinking, and knowing that the end was approaching she asked that after her demise a public word of thanks be spoken in her behalf to the many friends who had tendered their help and sympathy to her.

Her popularity was attested to yesterday by the large concourse of friends who had gathered to pay their last respects. Some fifty cars were required to convey the mourners to and from the cemetery, and many out-of-town friends were present, including Mr. Pearson, from Massachusetts; Mr. and Mrs. James Ray, Mr. and Mrs. R. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. E. Budd and son, Mr. and Mrs. McLean and daughter, Lillian, Mr. and Mrs. R. Linton, Mr. James Cochrane, Mrs. Matheson, Mr. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Young, Mr. Richmond, Helen Leslie, Mrs. Clarkson and daughter, Mrs. Walker, of Vancouver; Mr. W. Bell, of New Westminster; Mr. S. Campbell, Mr. W. Wilson and Mrs. Wille, of Victoria.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. J. Lindsay, R. Burns, G. Seggie, J. Cochrane, S. Campbell and J. Cowans.

MAYORALTY IS TO BE CONTESTED

Alderman MacIntyre and Mr. C. Simons Seek Municipal Honors at Courtenay

COURTENAY, Jan. 13.—Keen interest in the civic elections has appeared at the eleventh hour, after apparent apathy. The mayoralty will be contested by Alderman J. H. MacIntyre, who resigns to seek the higher office, and Mr. Charles Simms, one of the city's former mayors. There are five nominations to fill three vacancies on the council occasioned by the retirement of Aldermen MacIntyre, A. B. Ball and H. E. Wallis.

Both the last-named are seeking re-election, and the remaining three aspirants are Percy Booth, J. A. Hemm and John W. Lake. Aldermen J. A. Kirk, Walter Brown and William Fielder have a further term to serve.

Much more interest is being taken in school trusteeships.

Both the retiring trustees, Messrs. George H. Pidcock and John Inglis, are again offering their services; Mr. R. U. Hurford and Mrs. B. L. Smith are also in the field. Trustee Felix Thomas has a further term to serve.

SOUTH SAANICH Y.P.S. MEETS

Rev. H. A. Ireland Is Speaker on "Religion and Social Problems of the Church"

KEATING, Jan. 13.—Rev. H. A. Ireland, of Wilkinson Road United Church, was the speaker at the recent meeting of the South Saanich Young People's Society held in the United Church parlor. The subject of the address was "Religion and Social Problems of the Church." The speaker dealt with it in a most interesting and instructive manner, and was accorded a hearty vote of appreciation.

The business portion of the meeting was opened by a devotional period led by Miss G. Dearing and Miss I. Heyer conducted the business. Miss S. Patterson read the secretary's report and also the financial statement of the proceeds from the play recently presented by the society. Miss S. Patterson and Mr. R. Heyer were appointed as representatives to attend the meetings of the Young People's Council in Victoria. The meeting was then turned over to the devotional committee, who had arranged for Mr. Ireland's address.

Forty men are now employed exclusively in dusting books of the British Museum in London.

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NO CHANGES ARE MADE AT DUNCAN

Mayor Prevost and Aldermen Marsh and Lee Are Re-elected Unopposed

DUNCAN, Jan. 13.—Little interest was taken in the city municipal nominations here today. All offices will be filled by acclamation, and there will be no change in the personnel of the various municipal bodies. The following nominations were received by the returning officer, Mr. James Greig:

For Mayor—H. F. Prevost, nominated by H. W. Dickie and C. Dobson.

For Aldermen—J. Marsh, nominated by J. Welcker and T. J. Reeves; E. W. Lee, nominated by F. Hoey and T. Pitt.

For School Trustee—W. G. Brownsey, nominated by R. A. Thorpe and W. G. Brownsey.

TWO ARE NAMED FOR MAYORALTY

Contest for Chief Office at Alberni —Five Seek Seats as Aldermen

ALBERNI, Jan. 13.—Alberni civic election nomiations for mayor are: James Russell Motion and Clarence James Spratt; for aldermen (two-year term, three to be elected), William G. Bigmore, Edward Eleazor Frost, Louis Parker Howe, Stanley William Walter and Edward Meline Whyte; for police commissioner (one-year term, one to be elected), George Neill Richardson and Edward M. White.

The following were elected by acclamation: Alderman (one-year term), Clifford Masters Pineo; School trustees (two-year term), Margaret Burke and Edward Eleazor Frost. Police commissioner (two-year term), Stanley William Walter.

PORT ALBERNI 'HARD TO GOVERN'

Mayor Steed Gives Account of Stewardship at Public Meeting —Candidates Speak

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 13. — The annual public meeting, which takes place in this city every year preceding the municipal election, was held Friday evening, Major Burde acting as chairman.

Mayor Steede gave a report of the municipal activities for the past year. He stated that Port Alberni was a hard city to govern, as records show that it has more streets, more sidewalks and more pole lines for its population than any city in British Columbia.

Alderman Flemming, chairman of the public works committee, gave a report of his work for the past year. There was, according to him, a greater amount of work done on the roads during the past year than had been done for the previous four.

Alderman George Bird is retiring as an alderman, but took the occasion to say that things had not been altogether satisfactory on the council.

Those in the field for mayor are Mayor Steede, Ex-Alderman Homewood, Ex-Mayor Kendall and Mr. Aubrey Saunders. Mr. Gordon Stone asked for support as an alderman, for which he is running, as also did Mr. Woodward. Alderman Turner is seeking re-election.

In the absence of Alderman Waterhouse, chairman of the finance committee, Alderman McNaughton read the financial report.

SEVEN ENTER RACE FOR ALDERMEN

Ladysmith Will Have Contests for Council and Trustee Seats

LADYSMITH, Jan. 13.—Mayor George Reid was re-elected by acclamation today, when the official nominations were made.

For aldermen (two to be elected) there were nominated Messrs T. Bryant and D. Davidson, of the late council, Messrs. W. A. Cullum, D. J. Giovando, James King, W. Davenport and Walter Steele.

For trustees (two to be elected) there were nominated Messrs. Harry Wright and H. Winstanley, members of the late board, and Mr. W. A. Cullum.

There was no nomination for police commissioner.

CRIBBAGE LEAGUE RESUMES OPERATION

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 11.—After a rest over the Christmas and New Year holidays, games in the Cumberland and District Cribbage League got under way again. Union Bay visited the Cumberland City team, last year's champions, and defeated them after a close game, the scores being 19-17. The Vets continued their winning streak and inflicted the worst defeat on the Athletics in the history of the league, running out easy winners, 28-8, thus strengthening the Vets' hold at the head of the table. The Nondescripts team visited Comox and suffered defeat by a score of 22-14. Following the games a social hour followed.

The ladies' cribbage club also resumed its activities this week when the Elite Club met at the home of Mrs. Charles Walker, Mrs. J. Murray being the winner of the first prize with a score of 725 points out of a possible 726. Mrs. Littler and Mrs. McRae tied for second place with 715 points, while Mrs. Alex. Maxwell, Sr., was awarded the consolation prize. The club will meet at the home of the latter next week with Mrs. A. Maxwell, Sr., as hostess.

MR. JEMSON BURIED

Mines Department Officials Act as Bearers for Former Inspector of Mines

NANAIMO, Jan. 13.—From the family residence, Finlayson street, yesterday afternoon, the remains of the late Mr. James Jemson, former Inspector of Mines for Vancouver Island, and whose death occurred suddenly from heart failure on Wednesday morning, was laid at rest in the local cemetery.

The funeral was held under the auspices of Doris Lodge, A.F. & A.M., and followed by one of the largest funeral processions of many months in Nanaimo. Impressive services were conducted by the Rev. Canon Hitchcox at the home and graveside, and this was followed by the burial ritual of the Masonic craft. With the exception of one, the pallbearers were prominent mine officials of the province, these being as follows: Messrs. Thomas Graham, superintendent of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Limited; T. R. Jackson, mine inspector; James Dixon, Chief Inspector of Mines; J. A. Stewart, in charge of the local Mine Rescue Station; James Strang, Inspector of Mines, and William Allen.

Hon. W. A. McKenzie, Minister of Mines, and Mr. Robert Dunn, deputy minister of mines, were among the out-of-town friends who attended the funeral.

The casket was smothered with many tokens of remembrance in the nature of handsome floral tributes, including a pillow from the immediate family, a globe from the parents, brothers and sisters; and many other tributes from friends.

NANAIMO COUNCIL MEETS LAST TIME

Wants Better Steamer Service, Hears of City Manager and Does Much Business

NANAIMO, Jan. 13.—The regular weekly meeting of the local council was held this evening in the Council Chambers with retiring Mayor Busby presiding.

A letter was received from Mr. W. G. Moore, of the local Canadian Auto Branch, asking the council to install a stop sign on the corner of Wentworth and Wallace Streets, stating this corner was very dangerous. On motion of Alderman Barsby, seconded by Alderman Hart, the matter was held over for the incoming council.

A letter was received from Mr. Fred Bell, of the Nanaimo Bay School, asking for the provision of a four-inch hydrant on the school property, stating he had seen Manager Sheperd, who gave the estimate of the cost and a suitable place for installation. The letter was received, and the work will be proceeded with providing the school pays the cost.

Mr. Fioretti, Victoria Crescent, was granted permission to install a water renewal to his property.

Public Work Manager Shepherd reported an expenditure during the past week on streets of $217.10 and on waterworks for the same period, $151.85. The report was received and filed.

A motion made by Alderman Hart to the effect that Mr. Shepherd be instructed before election day to cover the sidewalks, or at least the steepest hills, with gravel, as at the present time the sidewalks are a mass of ice and are of grave danger to the citizens. The motion carried.

Alderman Ironside, chairman of the legislative committee, gave a very interesting address on the city manager question. In conclusion he asked all who could attend the meeting of the local board of trade on Tuesday evening in the Malaspina Hotel, when a speaker from the Mainland will address them on the subject of "The City Manager Plan."

Alderman Hart brought up the matter of the Ss. Elaine, which is off the run again for a month or six weeks for the purpose of overhauling, and asked that a letter of protest be sent to the Canadian Pacific to see if it were not at all possible to get better service, complaining of the early hour of departure. The motion carried.

Alderman Barsby stated that the pavement of Mr. Akenhead's, in front of his garage on Wallace Street, would be fixed by the streets committee as soon as a new survey is made. Adjournment then took place.

SKATING IS NOW IN FULL SWING

CHEMAINUS, Jan. 13.—The present cold snap is being thoroughly appreciated by the young people. The lagoon at the back of Mr. R. B. Halhed's house has been frozen over for several days, and skating is now in full swing.

A.Y.P.A. Meets

ROYAL OAK, Jan. 13—A meeting of the newly-organized A.Y.P.A. of St. Michael's Church was held on Wednesday evening with a good attendance of members and several visitors, included Mrs. Comley and Mrs. Hawkins.

Mr. Hawkins, Dominion secretary of the A.Y.P.A., gave an interesting address on "The Aims and Objects of the Organization," afterwards assisting the vicar, Rev. William Comley, in installing the following officers: President, Miss Dora Young; vice-president, Miss Kathleen Butt; secretary, Miss Kathleen Griffin, and treasurer, Miss Rosa Stone. Many expressions of approval were heard when Mr. Comley informed the meeting that he had a billiard table and set of bowls which he would place at the disposal of the organization. A short musical programme which included a piano selection by Maurice Foster, of Strawberry Vale, was followed by games and refreshments. The next meeting, which will be literary, will be held on January 22.

MANY ATTEND ANNIVERSARY

Congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Celebrates Fortieth Anniversary

REMINISCENCES FURNISH INTEREST

The celebration last evening of the fortieth anniversary of the dedication of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church attracted a big gathering, which included several pioneer residents and many old-timers, who were drawn by the prospect of hearing in the addresses by Mr. R. T. Williams and Mr. W. C. Douglas some interesting reminiscences of early Victoria. These people were not disappointed, for both speakers had a great deal that was both entertaining and illuminating. Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell, the minister, presided, and a number of delightful musical numbers were interspersed among the addresses, those taking part being Mr. Jesse Longfield, who gave some violin selections; Mrs. F. W. Hawes and Mr. Trevett, vocal numbers. Miss Macdonald and Mrs. Downard played the accompaniments.

The first speaker, Mr. Douglas, a member of the first session of St. Andrew's, dealt with the period just immediately preceding the dedication forty years ago of the present church, as well as the subsequent years up to the time of Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay's induction. He had come here on the George W. Elder, a steamship plying from San Francisco, which encountered a big storm and took five days to make the trip, a passenger going insane with the anxiety and fear which the hurricane engendered. Victoria as it struck the newcomer was intimately described from impressions gathered during the trip by bus from the outer wharf to the uptown hotel. The site of present St. Andrew's Church in those days was occupied by a number of small cottages, the congregation meeting in the building at the corner of Gordon and Courtney Streets now used for a garage. The first minister of the old church was Rev. Mr. Somerville, who came here from Scotland and occupied the pastorate for seven years. In succession after him had come Rev. Simon McGregor, of Pictou, N.S.; Rev. Robert Stephens, of Scotland; Rev. Patrick Macfarlane McLeod, of Toronto, and finally Rev. Dr. Clay. In reciting this history Mr. Douglas, himself a Nova Scotian, digressed a moment to express pride in the generous contribution which Pictou County, that province, had made to the church, with over three hundred ministers to its credit. This, the speaker thought, constituted a record.

Mr. Williams' recital began at a much earlier date, his subject being "Victoria Seventy Years Ago." He himself arrived here in 1859, among his earlier remembrances being the entrance to the old fort on the southeast corner of Fort and Government Streets, where an orchard had stood in early days. The old log cathedral, subsequently destroyed by fire, was also recalled, and further reminiscences included reference to the field at the corner of Fort and Douglas, dotted with oak trees, and which held the Hudson's Bay Company's stables; the offices of Alfred Waddington, of Bute Inlet fame, which stood where the Campbell Building now is, and the use of candles and camphene, which supplied the same purpose as the lamps which the introduction of coal-oil made possible.

One of Mr. Williams' most interesting references was to Mr. Allan Francis, the first United States consul appointed to Victoria. Mr. Francis, who was very popular in Victoria, had been appointed here by Abraham Lincoln.

In rehearsing the personnel of the pastors who had served St. Andrew's Church, Mr. Williams spoke of Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay, whom "none knew but to love nor named but in praise."

Mr. John Hosie, provincial archivist, was also present and made a short speech in introducing Mr. Williams.

AWARDS MADE IN YULE CONTEST

CFCT Announces Decision in Auntie Babs Christmas Competition

The full list of prize winners in the fourth annual Christmas competition for the children, held recently over CFCT, was announced by Auntie Babs, well known as the children's friend at the local station. Auntie Babs stated that the response this year was most gratifying. Not only did the large number of entries clearly demonstrate the interest surrounding the yearly event, but it also brought to light a large number of talented men and women of tomorrow. In each of the five contests the judges found it very difficult to reach their final decision. The lucky winners were eventually selected, however, and they are as follows:

Earl Hastings, 2307 Howard Street, and Margaret Blenkinsop, 1518 Myrtle Street, were adjudged winners in the contest to design and paint a Christmas card.

The two best jokes or funny stories were submitted by Arthur Ridland, 2749 Gosworth Road, and Mary Mattison, 1715 Albert Street.

Mary Loudoun, 628 McPherson Avenue, and Freddie McPherson 137 Dallas Road, were chosen as the successful entrants in the contest for the best game for Christmas time.

The contest to "make" a Christmas card from colored paper was won by Nancy Kyle, 342 Wildwood Avenue, and Norman Loudoun, 628 McPherson Avenue.

Betty Cox, 115 Olive Street, and Evelyn Eversion, Seven Oaks, wrote the best letters to Santa Claus in the contest for little tots.

The above winners will be present in the studio of CFCT between 5:30 and 6 o'clock next Friday evening, and will be presented with their prizes during the weekly period for the kiddies of the invisible audience.

Is Branch Manager Of Monarch Life



MR. WYNNE E. A. ELAND

Until recently Alberta inspector for the Monarch Life Assurance Company, has been appointed branch manager for the company at Victoria, succeeding Mr. J. R. B. More, who, the company regrets to announce, has been compelled to retire from the position on account of ill-health. It is hoped that Mr. More, on his recovery, may resume active connection with the company. Mr. Eland came to Canada from England in 1916 and joined the head office staff of the Monarch Life in 1921. He has since successfully filled responsible positions with his company in various departments. In speaking of Mr. Eland's appointment, Mr. F. H. Proby, Western superintendent for the company, stated he felt certain Monarch Life policy holders on the Island would be well served by the new manager, as Mr. Eland was well qualified for the position and competent by years of training and experience to give expert advice to the public in his territory on all matters pertaining to life insurance.

Illustrated Lecture

The Hustlers' Boys' Club, of Victoria West United Church Sunday School, under the direction of Mrs. Brown, has arranged with Mr. Hadland to give his lecture, "A Trip Through Canada," illustrated by lantern slides, in the church hall next Thursday evening commencing at 8 o'clock. Musical items will be rendered and refreshments will be served. A hearty invitation is given to all. The collection will go to the funds of the club and school. Mr. Hadland is a well known and popular speaker.

WOMEN PIONEERS UNDER REVIEW

Miss Bowron and Miss Ross-Hume Discuss Some Angles of Problem at Local Council Meeting

Unusual interest attached to yesterday's meeting of the Local Council of Women, addresses indirectly related in subject being given by Miss Lottie Bowron, who has been touring the province during the past year in an advisory capacity to the Provincial Department of Education, and by Miss Ross-Hume, who is visiting here from England at the present time studying conditions and opportunities as they effect British women immigrants to this country. Miss Crease presided and the meeting dealt with a number of routine matters, including the arrangements for the annual meeting which is to be held on February 11 and 12 at the New Thought Hall.

Most of Miss Bowron's talk was devoted to a description of the Peace River country, which had impressed her as wonderful country of almost limitless possibilities in the way of farming and development of other resources.

Practically all of the twenty-three schools in the Peace River Block were visited. Although in only sixteen of these were there women teachers, she had found the young men teachers almost as pleased to see her and confide some of their problems to her. One of the most hazardous sections of her trip had been a 160-mile journey up the Peace to Hudson's Hope in an open boat. At Hudson's Hope she had found a Victoria girl, daughter of Mrs. Laing, with whom she stayed during her brief visit. Two other Victoria girls she had found teaching at Pouce Coupe. Miss Bowron finished her story with an enthusiastic tribute to the plucky and splendid women who had ventured into the hard conditions of the frontier lands and were "carrying on" magnificently.

Mrs. Laing and Mrs. McMicking expressed appreciation of what Miss Bowron was doing.

Miss Ross-Hume reviewed some of the ground which she covered in her statement a few days ago to the Overseas Club, citing the results of her observations and experiences in Canada since her arrival here about six months ago as conductress with a party of seventy-eight British settlers.

"Personally I am all in favor of juvenile migration. Children and young people are far more adaptable than older people; before they are a few weeks in the country they are settling down," she noted in speaking of the happy outcome of the experiment which had been made in bringing out boys to Canada.

Speaking of women and girl migrants she was convinced that there were opportunities for such in this country; although they might find the conditions strange, although they might suffer loneliness and certain hardship, yet most of those who succeeded in getting back to the Old Country never seemed content until they returned again to Canada.

Miss Alice Ravenhill, Mrs. J. D. Gordon, Miss Crease, Mrs. McLean, Miss Bowron, Mrs. Savery and others contributed some practical and helpful suggestions, Miss Ravenhill suggesting some form of sickness insursnce as a protection against the dread of sickness which so many Old Country women experience in coming to a new country.

Cricket is becoming very popular in Argentina, international games being played with Brazil and Chile, and a British team will visit the country this Winter.

REEVE ELRICK CONGRATULATES 1930 MEMBERS

Chief Magistrate of Esquimalt Extends His Heartiest Greetings to Yearly Associates

PUBLIC MEETING BILLED THURSDAY

Congratulating the 1930 council on its success during the past twelve months, Reeve James Elrick, of Esquimalt, who was re-elected reeve of the township by acclamation for the third successive year, expressed his greatest appreciation towards the forthcoming council at the last meeting of the year of the 1929-30 council.

Mr. Elrick thanked the various members of the council who cooperated with him during the year and said he was only too glad to see the same members of the council elected by acclamation for the year 1930.

Councillor Thomas Hadfield, of Library Board, reported that although there was more books taken from the Victoria Library Board in 1929 than in 1928, the cost per book was just a little less.

On Thursday night, at 8 o'clock, a public meeting will be held in the Municipal Hall by Reeve James Elrick. At this meeting, all present members of the council will be asked to voice their opinions. Members seeking re-election and election to the Board of School Trustees will be asked to speak, as will those seeking the police commissioner's seat.

CO-OPERATION HELPS WOMEN

INSTITUTE REPORTS FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF PROVINCE

Ladies of Mission, B.C., Provide Community With Numerous Advantages

Annual reports received at the Government offices from the Women's Institutes throughout the province, show a really wonderful record of work by all institutes. It is impressive to see how a small band of busy rural women, by harmonious co-operation, can procure lasting benefits for themselves and their province, benefits which range from a doctor in an outlying district, to new community halls, pulmotors and picnic parks.

The brief 1929 report of the Mission Women's Institute is a striking example of what thirty-one enthusiastic women can accomplish in one year.

MISSION CITY

The directors, fully conscious that our chief object is community betterment, aided where possible any objective in this direction. For this reason we sponsored (1) A gift of $15 to the hospital board for furniture for the Nurses' Home; (2) a tea for funds for the Agricultural Association; (3) a tea for funds to trim memorial trees on Grand Avenue; (4) a whist drive for funds for the school nurse's car; (5) a lunch at the fair for a similar purpose, and gratefully accepted a donation of $35 from the Japanese ladies for the same car; (6) gave a tea on May 24 for hospital auxiliary, making $35.45; (7) had a stall at a bazaar for the returned soldiers' bed fund, making $25; (8) held a tag day for the Salvation Army Grace Hospital, collecting $73.48; (9) held a children's garden competition, with 101 competitors; (10) gave a prize to the pupil gaining highest marks in the entrance examination, and another prize to the winner of the oratorical contest; (11) sent fruit and flowers to sick friends, made over clothing and gave it to the Community Club for Christmas hampers, also gave individual gifts of puddings, cakes and jam; (12) gave prizes for health exhibit at the Fall fair. This Institute has 1,400 books in the library, which is open for the community every Wednesday and Saturday evening, and every Saturday afternoon in the Winter.

The Institute, during the year, took in and expended nearly $400 for the good of the community, with a total expenditure of $170, most of which went in rental for a meeting place.

Royal Pretender Of France Pays Homage to Pope

By WILLIAM H. STONEMAN
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ROME, Italy, Jan. 13.—Emmanuel, Duke of Vendome, cousin of the Duke of Guise and Pretender to the throne of France, went calling on Pope Pius today, virtually bringing to a close the list of official visits at the Vatican on the occasion of the recent wedding of Crown Prince Humbert and Princess Marie Jose of Belgium.

Particular interest is attached to the meeting of the Duke and the Pontiff because of the Vatican's emphatic stand against the objectionable Action Francaise group in France, and its attempts to restore the French royalty.

Tonight Queen Amelia, mother of ex-King Manuel of Portugal, will pay homage to Pope Pius.

Meanwhile, Prince Humbert and his bride are reported to have arrived at Capri, sunny island near Naples, on board a destroyer yesterday, traveling incognito. On the other hand, official agencies say that the royal couple are resting peacefully in Rome.

The British Treasury has paid Tom Fairnfield $480 for sixty-four gold nobles, some dating from 1351, which he found while digging near his home at Horsted Keynes, England.

GERMANY IN OPPOSITION TO POWERS

Takes Stand Against International Bank, But Rest of Delegates Proceed With Their Work

THREAT IS MADE OF MORE PROTEST

THE HAGUE, Jan. 13.—Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, head of the Reischbank, today opposed the second Hague Conference on Reparations in the matter of the International Bank, but the conference, after brief consideration of his stand, ignored it and went on with its work.

The explosion of the much-advertised bombshell of the leading German banker failed to make any way near as much noise as had been anticipated. He informed the conference in a letter to Mr. Jackson Reynolds, of New York, that the Reichsbank could not subscribe to capital of the Bank for International Settlements because the Young plan had been modified. After a short discussion by leaders of the conference it was agreed that that body should not be interfered with in its work by Dr. Schacht on purely political grounds and the jurists were instructed to go on with preparation of the protocol for adoption of the Young plan.

COMPLETE ORGANIZATION

The Bank Committee was requested to complete organization of the bank regardless of whether the Reichsbank participates. Intimation was given in the course of debate that the board of directors of the Reichsbank had not said their last word and that participation might still be possible.

Mr. Snowden, British Chancellor, during the discussion said it was not possible to allow Mr. Schacht to veto decisions taken by the Governments. The German banker had made participation in the bank conditional on abandonment by Great Britain of liquidation of sequestered property and abandonment by France of all military and political sanctions.

DISLIKED BUT FEARED

By A. R. DECKER
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THE HAGUE, Holland, Jan. 13.—Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the German Reichsbank, arrived at The Hague today. He would make no statement beyond saying that he had slept well. The man who has dominated the Reparations Conference from afar seems to be in as good a humor and to be as sure of himself as usual.

Dr. Schacht, who is disliked but respected at home because he holds the strings of the German national purse, is also feared but respected here because his attitude on the problems of the conference is unknown. By refusing to participate in the formation of the Bank of International Settlements, Dr. Schacht could easily throw a monkey wrench into the reparations machinery. Thus it appears that the Reichsbank president holds the last ace in The Hague bargaining.

It is believed that the conference now hinges on the question of military sanctions and the mobilization of reparations payments. German unofficial sources intimate that Germany will not accept the Young plan if military sanctions are maintained.

Mr. H. Bronfman Asks Change Be Made in Venue

REGINA, Jan. 13.—Expressing a strong conviction that Mr. Harry Bronfman, millionaire distiller of Montreal, recently remanded for trial to the Regina King's Bench Court, on a charge of attempting to interfere with the course of justice by causing witnesses to remove themselves from the jurisdiction of the court in a former case, cannot secure a fair and impartial trial at Regina, Mr. A. J. Andrews, K.C., Winnipeg, senior counsel for Bronfman, today made formal application to a chamber judge for a change of venue. The hearing of argument supporting the application, and of that of counsel for the Crown in opposition, took up most of the time of Mr. Justice H. Y. Macdonald today, sitting as chamber judge.

At the conclusion of argument on both sides, His Lordship reserved decision.

Ratepayer Claims Garbage Collection System Inadequate

That a larger vote should be appropriated by the council for garbage service, so that the ratepayers would get a more adequate collection, was the opinion expressed by Mr. Cecil M. Roberts, of 913 Burdett Avenue, in a letter to the City Council last night.

Mr. Roberts contended that the present system of ten days' garbage collection was quite inadequate and was also a menace to health in the Summer time.

"I have at present three garbage cans and they are nearly always full three or four days before the garbage is collected. I am unable to burn any of my refuse as I have an oil furnace and also a gas stove in my kitchen.

"We not only have to pay for the garbage collection, but we are charged $4 for the cans, and they are very soon so knocked out of shape that the covers will not go on them. I hope the council will seriously consider this matter, as it is one of the essentials of comfort and health," Mr. Roberts wrote.

The communication was referred to the estimates committee.

THAT CERTAIN PARTY

"—Or a Louis XXXVI"

By Jack Wilhelm



POLLY AND HER PALS

Paw's Applause for an Encore

By Cliff Sterrett



TILLIE THE TOILER

It Won't Be Long Now

By Westover



S'MATTER POP

Absorbing Public Manners

By C M Payne



SHOW GIRL

And the Name Is Dixie Dugan

By J. P McEvoy and J. H. Striebel



SKIPPY

On the Scent

By Percy L. Crosby



KRAZY KAT







EMBARRASSING MOMENTS



JUST LIKE A WOMAN



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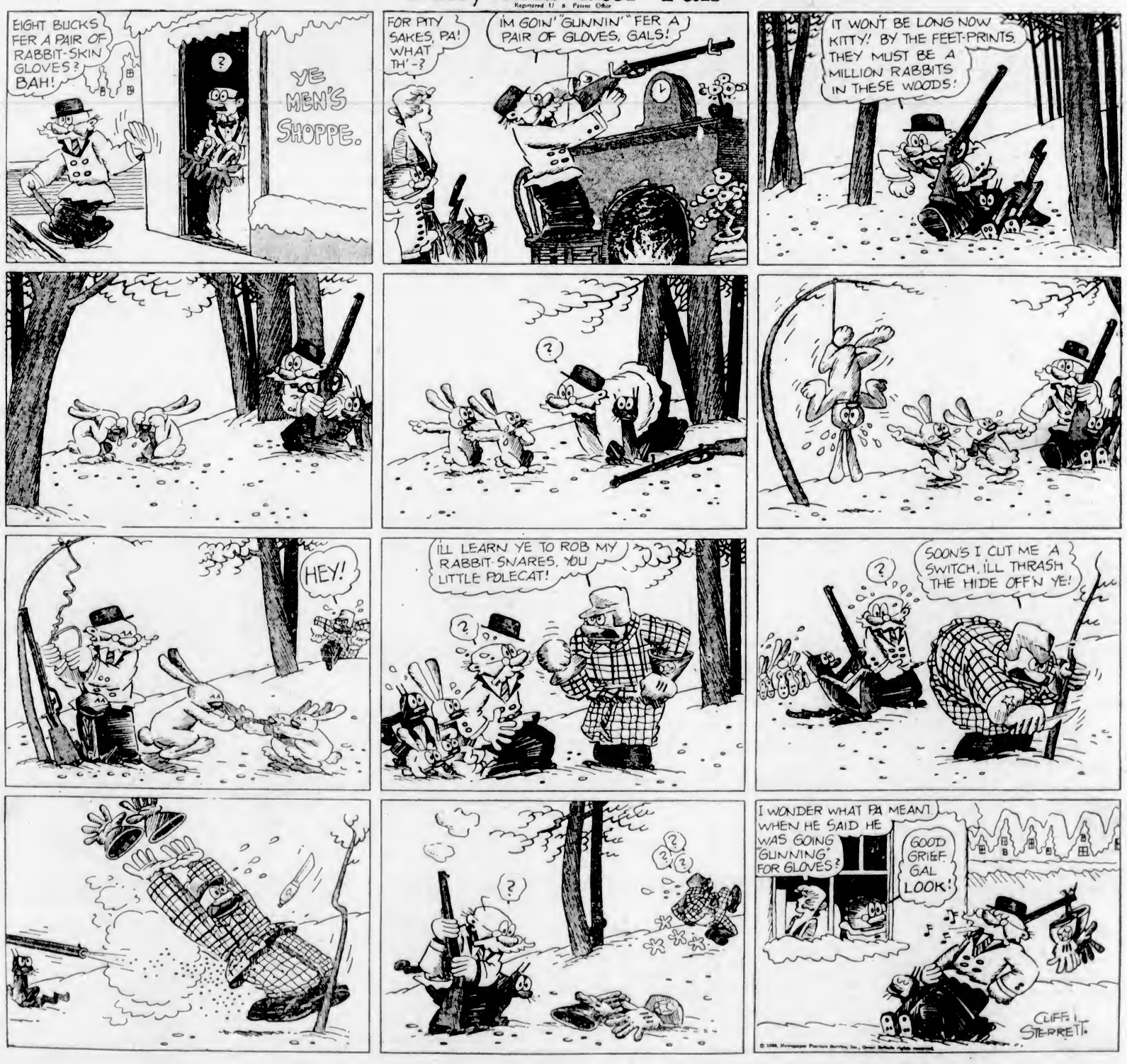
The prisoner was a Mexican sheep-stealer convicted of murder. "Jose Manuel Gonzales," said the judge, "in a few short months it will be Spring. The snows of Winter will flee away, the ice will vanish, and the air will become soft and balmy. The valleys will blossom as the rose. From every tree-top some wildwood songster will carol his mating song. Butterflies will sport in the sunshine and the busy bee will hum happily as it pursues its accustomed avocations. The gentle breezes will tease the tassels of the wild grasses. And all nature, Jose Manuel Gonzales, will be glad. But you won't be here to see it, because you're going to be hanged four weeks from this coming Friday."

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

CLEVELAND IN FROM FAR EAST

AMERICAN MAIL LINER LAST TO ARRIVE BEFORE NEW SCHEDULE

Brings Fair Passenger List and 600 Tons of Cargo to Rithet's

The American Mail liner President Cleveland, last ship of the fleet to dock here before the new schedule of Friday morning arrivals becomes effective on January 24, tied up at Rithet piers from the Orient at 5.50 o'clock yesterday morning. She discharged 600 tons of Chinese foodstuffs, tea, rice, gunnies, walnut meat, silk goods and toys, before sailing for Seattle in command of Captain Maynard Griffith at 10 o'clock.

Aboard the liner were twenty-four first-cabin passengers, 110 steerage, 2,500 tons of Seattle cargo and 1,750 bales of raw silk.

Travelers included Mr. Harry B. Price, member of Dr. E. W. Kemmerer's commission, which spent ten months studying financial conditions for the Chinese Government; Mr. L. D. Hargis, Manila attorney, en route to San Francisco and New York; Dr. John H. C. Wu, of Shanghai, proceeding to Harvard University Law School, where he will take a chair; Mr. Konzaburo Hirayama, representative of the Mitsubishi Electric Company at Tokio, and Mr. Guy A. Harmon, representative of the Shell Oil Company in the East Indies.

The Pender Island craft Colby is at Armstrong Brothers' plant for engine repairs. Mr. G. Draper's Gooch Island cruiser, Lady Mary, is up for repairs to damage caused recently when she went adrift in Cadboro Bay.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

Effective December 2, 1929, the service will be: From Victoria, 7:15 a.m., Monday, to Ganges via Gulf Islands. From Ganges, 7 a.m., Tuesday, to Victoria via the Gulf Islands. From Victoria, 7:15 a.m., Wednesday, to Ganges, returning same day. From Victoria, 7:15 a.m., Thursday, to Ganges via the Gulf Islands. From Ganges, 7 a.m., Friday, to Vancouver, via the Gulf Islands. From Vancouver, 7:15 a.m., Saturday, to Victoria, via the Gulf Islands. The Ss. Princess Royal will leave Victoria, 11 a.m., Tuesday, to Vancouver via the Gulf Islands.

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9.15 A.M.	DAILY INCLUDING SUNDAYS	10.30 A.M.
11.10 A.M.		12.00 Noon
1.30 P.M.		2.20 P.M.
3.15 P.M.		4.00 P.M.
5.00 P.M.		6.00 P.M.

OAKMAR IN PORT

To load 590,000 feet of lumber for New York the Calmar Line freighter Oakmar, Captain W. K. Martin, arrived to King Brothers at Ogden Point docks at 8 o'clock Sunday morning. She is expected to leave for New Westminster about noon today.

Captain Martin was last in port on Ss. Commercial Guide in 1922.

PARTHENIA HERE TO LOAD LUMBER

Donaldson Line Freighter Brings in Twenty Tons of British Cargo

In command of Captain Thomas Philip the Donaldson Line freighter Parthenia docked at Rithet piers from Glasgow, Liverpool and San Francisco at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon to discharge twenty tons of liquor, jam and canned goods and to load 50,000 board feet of lumber.

"We left Liverpool on December 8 and six days later ran right into one of the gales that have been sweeping the British Isles," said Captain Philip. "One day, steaming full speed ahead, we were able to make only eighty-five miles. From the Canal Zone to Victoria we experienced fine weather."

The Parthenia was scheduled to leave port for Vancouver early this morning to discharge 1,000 tons of steel plates and a parcel of general cargo.

DAMAGES BLADES

Northbound from Seattle to Vancouver on Saturday evening the C.P.R. steamer "Princess Adelaide struck some floating object and damaged her propeller. She was able to make Victoria with no difficulty save added vibration.

Yesterday morning the Adelaide was placed in the new Esquimalt drydock where Yarrows' workmen fitted new blades to enable the vessel to take the night run from here to Vancouver. Ss. Princess Royal, loading walnut meat at Rithet piers, was to have taken the Adelaide's place had she not been finished in time.

Here From Seattle

Mr. Imrie D. Birse, ticket agent for the Pacific Steamship Company at Seattle, arrived here on Sunday to relieve Mr. Leslie C. Pelling, who is enjoying a short holiday.

Shipping Information

TIDES AT VICTORIA
JANUARY

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
13	.....		11:20	10.8	20:10	0.2	.....	
14	.....		13:13	10.8	20:59	0.0	.....	
15	0:44	8.9	0:11	9.0	12:08	10.3	21:41	0.1
16	1:46	8.6	0:30	8.5	13:49	9.7	22:24	0.9
17	7:04	8.2	10:44	8.0	14:41	9.0	23:07	1.5
18	7:25	8.0	11:59	7.2	15:44	8.1	23:49	2.3
19	7:49	8.0	13:19	6.4	17:04	7.1	.....	
20	8:27	8.0	0:11	3.0	14:24	5.8	19:20	8.3
21	0:53	3.0	9:33	8.0	15:45	5.7	22:05	8.2
22	0:05	8.2	9:53	8.1	16:45	5.9	.....	
23	.....		0:18	8.3	17:39	6.1	.....	
24	.....		0:34	8.2	18:28	6.5	.....	
25	.....		9:50	8.2	19:04	7.1	.....	
26	.....		10:31	8.2	19:40	7.7	.....	
27	0:46	8.2	0:02	8.0	11:09	8.3	20:16	1.9
28	0:71	8.0	0:30	8.0	11:41	8.2	20:49	1.4
29	0:53	8.0	0:10	8.7	12:23	8.0	21:18	1.8
30	0:42	8.0	0:38	8.3	13:02	8.7	21:50	1.7
31	0:03	8.0	10:18	8.0	13:41	8.4	22:22	2.2

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18.5 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock add 20 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
JANUARY, 1930

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1930.

	Sun-rise	Sun-set		Sun-rise	Sun-set
12	8:03	4:41	23	7:54	4:58
14	8:03	4:43	24	7:53	4:58
15	8:03	4:44	25	7:52	4:59
16	8:01	4:46	26	7:51	5:01
17	8:00	4:47	27	7:50	5:02
18	7:58	4:49	28	7:48	5:04
19	7:56	4:50	29	7:47	5:05
20	7:57	4:53	30	7:46	5:07
21	7:56	4:53	31	7:45	5:08
22	7:56	4:55			

†The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET
JANUARY, 1930

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1930.

	Rises	Sets
13	3:03 p.m.	7:18 a.m.
14	4:21 p.m.	8:17 a.m.
	(Full Moon on 14th)	
15	5:46 p.m.	9:03 a.m.
16	7:16 p.m.	9:37 a.m.
17	8:41 p.m.	10:03 a.m.
18	10:03 p.m.	10:22 a.m.
19	11:19 p.m.	10:41 a.m.
20	.....	10:53 a.m.
21	0:32 a.m.	11:16 a.m.
	(Last Quarter on 21st)	
22	1:40 a.m.	11:38 a.m.
23	2:37 a.m.	11:39 a.m.
24	4:06 a.m.	12:20 p.m.
25	5:14 a.m.	1:05 p.m.
26	6:15 a.m.	1:50 p.m.
27	7:03 a.m.	2:45 p.m.
28	7:46 a.m.	3:47 p.m.
29	8:14 a.m.	4:53 p.m.
	(New Moon on 29th)	
30	8:39 a.m.	6:01 p.m.
31	8:58 a.m.	7:09 p.m.

Note.—These times are correct to within one or two minutes. The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

CANADIAN PACIFIC
Train Service Schedules

THE IMPERIAL — Vancouver-Toronto-Montreal, 9 a.m., daily.

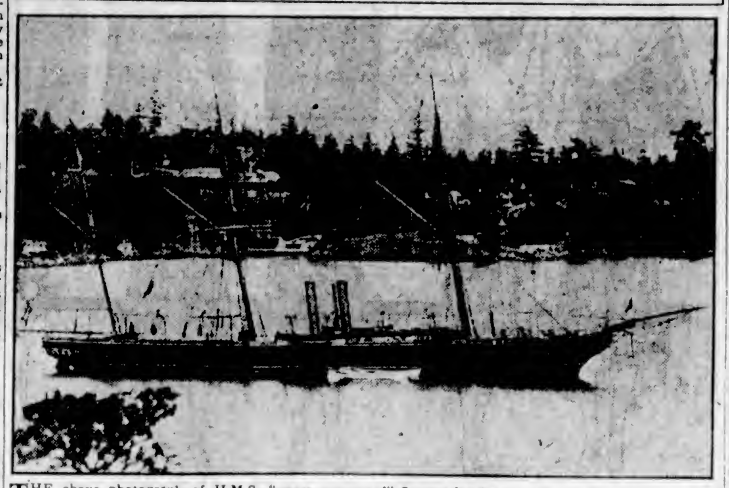
KOOTENAY EXPRESS—Vancouver-Nelson, daily at 7:20 p.m.

FRASER VALLEY LOCAL—Vancouver-Ruby Creek, 5:15 p.m., daily.

Vancouver-Huntingdon, 7:30 a.m. daily except Sunday.

Further information on request.

H.M.S. Sparrowhawk at Esquimalt, 1865



THE above photograph of H.M.S. "screw gun-vessel" Sparrowhawk was taken at Esquimalt upon her arrival in 1865 by Mr. Albert Maynard and is one of the few known, being in possession of Major F. V. Longstaff. Built at Chatham in 1855 and commissioned at Portsmouth on March 4, 1865, by Commander E. A. Porcher for service at the Pacific Station, the Sparrowhawk was of 676 tons and had engines of 200 horsepower. The warcraft took Lieutenant-Governor Trutch up the coast on a tour of inspection when the united colonies entered Confederation in 1871.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Vessel Movements

SEATTLE, Jan. 13.13.—Arrived: Horace X. Baxter, El Cedro, San Francisco; Wilhoboro, Philadelphia; President, Cleveland, Manila; Brookdale, Admiral Chase, Tejon, Los Angeles; Talthai Maru, Yokohama. Sailed: Lake Gorin, New York; Brookdale, Sound ports; Admiral Chase, Los Angeles; Norco, Southeast Alaska; Kanaan Teucer, Tacoma; W. H. Chamberlain, Jr., Sound ports; Olympic, San Francisco.

PORTLAND, Jan. 13.—Arrived: Witell, Emden; Chickasaw City, Olympia; Noma City, Los Angeles; Shasta, San Francisco; Walter D. Munson, Aberdeen. Sailed: Kinderdyk, Antwerp; Kentucky, Cebu, El Capitan, Los Angeles.

TACOMA, Jan. 13 — Arrived: Mosul, Britannia Beach; Condor, Antofagasta; Admiral Chase, Los Angeles; Kanaan, Boston. Sailed: Olymont, Los Angeles; Tashmoo, New York; Jefferson B. Meyers, Philadelphia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13. — Arrived: Shawnee, cruise; San Diego, Baltimore; Humboldt, Wilmington; San Pedro; Celilo, Astoria. Makawow, Ahukini; Carlos, Grays Harbor; Yellowstone, San Pedro. Sailed: Admiral Watson, H M Storey, San Pedro; Rhine Maru, Shanghai; San Vincente, Portland; Seattle, Hamburg; Oregonian, Astoria; Erskine, M. P. Helps, Seattle.

ARRIVED

NEW YORK, Jan. 13 — Democracy, Seattle

HAMBURG, Jan. 10.—Grootendyk, Portland.

WELLINGTON, Jan. 13.—Makura, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 10.—London Maru, Seattle

ANTWERP, Jan. 11.—Hermiona, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Greylock, San Pedro.

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Part cloudy; calm; 29.94; 35; light swell.

PACHENA — Clear; light, northeast; 29.84; 36; smooth.

CARMANAH—Clear; calm; 29.95; smooth

CAPE BEALE—Clear; light, northeast; 29.95; light swell.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated.)

PRINCESS MAQUINNA—At Tofino, 4 p.m., northbound.

CAPE SCOTT—Vancouver for Nootka, eighty-two miles off Nootka

HAVEL—San Francisco for Vancouver, 200 miles off Vancouver

YATOI MARU—Bound New Westminster, 200 miles off Estevan.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Victoria for Honolulu, 800 miles off Victoria.

OAKWORTH — Bound Vancouver, 345 miles off Vancouver.

C.N.S. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN SEIGNEUR — At Prince Rupert.

CANADIAN WINNER—At Prince Rupert.

CANADIAN MILLER—Due from Halifax, March 11.

CANADIAN PLANTER—Sails from Vancouver for Halifax next month.

CANADIAN RANGER—At Vancouver.

CANADIAN PROSPECTOR—Sails from New Westminster for Halifax, January 17.

CANADIAN INVENTOR—Due from Saint John, February 10.

BRITISH MAILS

SS. DUCHESS OF YORK—Mails close January 10, 1.15 p.m.

SS. AQUITANIA (via New York)—Mails close January 10, 4 p.m.

SS. ILE DE FRANCE (via New York)—Mails close January 11, 4 p.m.

SS. CLEVELAND (via New York)—Mails close January 12, 4 p.m.

SS. LANCASTRIA—Mails close January 13, 1.15 p.m.

SS. PRESIDENT HARDING (via New York)—Mails close January 10, 4 p.m.

SS. MELITA—Mails close January 17, 1.15 p.m.

SS. PARIS (via New York)—Mails close January 18, 4 p.m.

SS. NEWFOUNDLAND — Mails close January 18, 1.15 p.m.

Mails intended for transmission via New York must be so marked.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE MAILS
(Effective December 17, 1929)

DISPATCH

11 P.M.—January 9, 9, 17, 29 and 31 February 5, 14, 17 and 28. March 3, 14, 17, 28 and 31. April 11, 14, 25 and 28.

DUE

7 A.M.—December 27. January 17 and 31. February 14 and 28. March 14 and 28. April 11 and 28.

HONOLULU MAILS

VIA SAN FRANCISCO — Mails close 4 p.m., January 4, 9, 8, 13, 14, 17, 30, 22, 28 and 28. February 2, 9, 9, 10 and 11.

SS. NIAGARA—Mails close January 8, 5 p.m.

SS. EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close January 11, 5 p.m.

SS. AORANGI—Mails close February 5, 5 p.m.

SS. EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close February 10, 5 p.m.

YUKON AND ATLIN MAILS
(January, 1930.)

Mails close—January 3, 14 and 24, 4 p.m. (via Seattle), January 8, 23 and February 8, 1.15 p.m. (via Vancouver).

SHIPPING CALENDAR

TO ARRIVE

PACIFIC ENTERPRISE—From England, January 16.

ALABAMA MARU—From Orient, January 22.

GRACIA—From England, January 27.

PRESIDENT PIERCE—From Orient, January 27.

TALTHYBIUS—From Orient, January 28.

AORANGI—From Honolulu and Antipodes, January 31.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—From Orient, January 31.

LONDON IMPORTER—From England, February 1.

ARABIA MARU—From Orient, February 3.

PRESIDENT TAFT—From Orient, February 10.

MOVERIA—From England, February 10.

PACIFIC RANGER—From England, February 15.

IXION—From Orient, February 19.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—From Orient, February 24.

ALABAMA MARU—From Orient, February 25.

NIAGARA—From Honolulu and Antipodes, February 28.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—From Orient, March 1.

PACIFIC GROVE—From England, March 1.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN — From Orient, March 10.

EMPRESS OF ASIA — From Orient, March 22.

AORANGI—From Honolulu and Antipodes, March 28.

TO DEPART

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—For Orient, January 23.

YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, January 28.

AORANGI—For Honolulu and Antipodes, February 5.

ALABAMA MARU—For Orient, February 8.

PRESIDENT PIERCE—For Orient, February 9.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—For Orient, February 15.

ARABIA MARU—For Orient, February 18.

PRESIDENT TAFT—For Orient, February 25.

NIAGARA—For Honolulu and Antipodes, March 5.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—For Orient, March 9.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA — For Orient, March 9.

EMPRESS OF ASIA — For Orient, March 29.

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SCHEDULE

Table Showing Transit Time From Victoria Eastbound and southbound daily, including Sunday. Closing today at 4 p.m.

*Atlanta, Georgia: Day after tomorrow 8.10 p.m.

Austin, Texas: Third morning, 10.35 p.m.

Boston, Mass.: Third morning, 4.30 a.m.

*Buffalo, N.Y.: Day after tomorrow, 2.50 p.m.

Chicago, Ill.: Day after tomorrow, 9 a.m.

Cleveland, Ohio: Day after tomorrow, 12 noon.

Dallas, Texas: Day after tomorrow, 8.50 p.m.

Denver, Colo.: Day after tomorrow, 8.50 a.m.

Detroit, Mich.: Day after tomorrow, 11.40 a.m.

Indianapolis, Ind.: Day after tomorrow, 7.05 a.m.

Kansas City, Mo.: Day after tomorrow, 8.30 a.m.

*Los Angeles, Cal.: Tomorrow, 9 p.m.

Miami, Fla.: Third day, 1.30 p.m.

Minneapolis, Minn.: Day after tomorrow, 10.50 a.m.

Montreal, Que.: Third day, 7.30 a.m.

*New York, N.Y.: Day after tomorrow, 6.40 p.m.

Omaha, Neb.: Day after tomorrow, 12.30 a.m.

Ottawa, Ont.: Third race, 7.00 a.m.

*Philadelphia, Pa.: Day after tomorrow, 8.55 p.m.

Pittsburgh, Pa.: Day after tomorrow, 1.45 p.m.

St. Louis, Mo.: Day after tomorrow, 8.15 a.m.

St. Paul, Minn.: Day after tomorrow, 10.40 a.m.

*Salt Lake City, Utah: Tomorrow, 2.40 p.m.

San Francisco, Cal.: Tomorrow, 12.45 p.m.

*San Diego, Cal.: Tomorrow, 10 p.m.

*Toronto, Ont.: Day after tomorrow, 9 p.m.

*Indicates too late for carrier delivery. Special delivery stamp will insure immediate delivery.

GULF ISLANDS MAILS

GANGES

Mails close at Victoria—Wednesday, Friday, Sunday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10.30 a.m. Wednesday, Thursday, 8.45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday afternoon, Friday, Saturday, 7 a.m.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

Mails close at Victoria—Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10.30 a.m. Wednesday, 8.45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, Friday, 7 a.m.

FULFORD HARBOR

Mails close at Victoria—Monday, Thursday, 8.40 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Tuesday, Saturday afternoon.

BEAVER POINT

Mails close at Victoria—Friday, 11 p.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Saturday, 7 a.m.

PORT WASHINGTON

Mails close at Victoria—Sunday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10.30 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Saturday afternoon, Wednesday, Friday morning

MAYNE

Mails close at Victoria—Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10.30 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Tuesday, Saturday afternoon, Friday, Saturday, 7 a.m.

GALIANO

Mails close at victoria—Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10.30 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Saturday afternoon, Friday, Saturday afternoon.

SATURNA, SOUTH PENDER

Mails close at Victoria—Monday, Thursday, 8.45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Tuesday afternoon, Saturday morning

MUSGRAVE, SOUTH GALIANO

Mails close at Victoria—Monday, 8.45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Tuesday afternoon.

PENDER ISLAND

Mails close at Victoria—Sunday, Friday, 11 p.m. Tuesday, 10.30 a.m. Thursday, 8.45 a.m.

Mails due at Victoria—Monday, Tuesday, Saturday afternoon, Saturday morning.

FOX FARMING IS GROWING POPULAR

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Jan. 13.—"Fox farming has become so popular in European countries today that I have found it necessary to establish a fox ranch in Europe in order to cope with the demand for foxes for breeding purposes," said Mr. J. S. Wedlock, of Saint John, N.B., upon arrival here on board the liner Duchess of York. Mr. Wedlock returned from a prolonged stay in Sweden, having established a fox farm at Bleking, which he stocked from his ranch on Prince Edward Island. The Canadian silver fox is gaining in popularity with breeders in Europe all the time and there is a huge market there for breeding foxes which will absorb all that Canada has to offer for many years, Mr. Wedlock believes.

The Duchess of York docked at West Saint John with 400 passengers on board early Sunday morning. Two special boat trains conveyed the passengers to Montreal and points in Western Canada.

Assistant District Engineer Appointed

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13.—Appointment of Mr. F. Rutter as assistant district engineer with headquarters in Vancouver is announced today by Mr. C. A. Cotterell, general superintendent of the British Columbia District, Canadian Pacific Railway.

Mr. Rutter, who has held a number of responsible positions with the engineering and operating departments, has a record of twenty-eight years' service with the company. Mr. Rutter's new duties here commenced today.

Marine Notes

The B.C. Cement Company's motorship, Island King, is on Yarrow's marine railway for new stern bushes and tail shaft repairs. A new Union Diesel engine for the craft has been ordered in the United States and will be shipped in March or April.

H.M.C.S. Vancouver was due at Balboa at 9 o'clock last evening. The warcraft will arrive at Bermuda on January 22, and after calling at Nassau and Havana will stop at Miami on February 21. She will arrive at Kingston on March 12, and Panama on March 26, on her way back to Esquimalt.

Dr. Pottinger's dental cruiser Marsapur is at Armstrong Brothers for general overhaul.

Engine work to the tugs J. W. P. and Restless is being carried out at the G. B. Murdie shipyard.

The Victoria Tug Company's scow Sadie No. 4, is at the Point Hope Marine Railway for overhaul.

At the Victoria Machinery Depot, Ss. Charmer is on the marine railway for cleaning and painting. C.G.S. Estevan is undergoing boiler repairs.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

CHINA AND JAPAN

*ARIZONA MARU—Mails close January 3, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 19.

*TYNDAREUS—Mails close January 9, 1.15 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 22.

PRESIDENT GRANT—Mails close January 11, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 24; Shanghai, January 29; Hong Kong, January 31.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close January 11, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 26; Shanghai, January 30; Hong Kong, February 3.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—Mails close January 23, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 7; Shanghai, February 11; Hong Kong, February 14.

†TEUCER—Mails close January 27, 1.15 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 11; Hong Kong, February 25.

PRESIDENT PIERCE—Mails close February 8, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 21; Shanghai, February 28; Hong Kong, February 28.

*Japan only

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

NIAGARA—Mails close January 8, 5 p.m. Due at Auckland January 27, Sydney, February 1.

†TAHITI—Mails close January 19, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney February 19.

SIERRA—Mails close January 26, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney February 19.

AORANGI—Mails close February 5, 5 p.m. Due at Auckland February 24; Sydney, March 1.

†New Zealand mail only.

‡Australia mail only.

WEST COAST SERVICE

The Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave for Port Alice and way points the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

Sufferers From Slack Shipping Are Given Work

MONTREAL, Jan. 13.—In order to relieve distress among the regular employees of the Montreal Harbor Commission due to lack of work during the season of navigation because of decrease in grain traffic, the commissioners have decided to undertake a programme of Winter work involving the expenditure of $300,000 and giving employment to between 200 and 300 men. The work will consist of maintenance and installation of new elevator machinery.

Notice to Mariners

Strait of Juan de Fuca—Race Rocks—Time of Turning of Tidal Streams—Rack Rocks (latitude N. 48 degrees, 17 minutes, 54 seconds, longitude W. 123 degrees, 31 minutes, 30 seconds), with their outlying shoals and bad ground, are a preeminent danger to shipping bound through the Strait of Juan de Fuca to Canadian ports (see British Columbia Pilot, volume 1). Up to the present time no information could be given for the time of the turning of the tidal streams, and it was said to be very irregular. Therefore observations were taken by the Tidal and Current Division of the Canadian Hydrographic Service during two Summer seasons (1928 and 1929) and it was found that if the predictions for the reversal of the tidal streams at Turn Point are used instead of a port of reference, good results may be obtained for Race Rocks.

High Water Slack—To find the time of high water slack subtract 1 hour 15 minutes from the time of high water slack at Turn Point as given in the tide tables.

Low Water Slack—To find the time of low water slack subtract 37 minutes from the time of low water slack as given for Turn Point.

Duration of Slack Water—The duration of slack at either high water or low water is 15 minutes on the average.

The data given applies particularly to the currents as observed on the buoy at Rosedale Rock on the offshore side. The turn in the passage is approximately the same.

For additional copies of this notice apply to the Tidal and Current Survey Division of the Canadian Hydrographic Service, Department of Marine, Ottawa; or to 521 Winch Building, Vancouver.

A. JOHNSTON,
Deputy Minister of Marine.
Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, December 26, 1929.

CHINESE PEACE NOT IN SIGHT

United States Minister to Republic Says Vast Populace Supports Three Revolutions

STEAMERS PUT MANY IN JOBLESS CLASS

"China is now going through a period similar to the Renaissance of Europe," said Hon. Nelson T. Johnson, newly appointed United States minister to China, before he left here for Peiping aboard Ss. President Grant at 12:20 o'clock Sunday morning.

"At the present time China's vast population of nearly 400,000,000 is supporting three revolutions—a political revolution, industrial revolution and spiritual revolution," Mr. Johnson continued.

"Prior to 1900, travel up the Yangtze River was by junk alone, drawn through the rapids and gorges by hundreds of coolies straining at hand-made ropes. Now we have about forty shallow-draft river steamers, making the month's trip in only five days.

"At various points along the river there were many villages where the coolies rested and repaired the junks, as their forebears had done for generations. It is estimated that the same forty steamers have put 2,000,000 men out of work," Mr. Johnson said.

"Railways have also taken the jobs of men who were used to carrying freight upon their backs or in crude carts. Unprecedented floods and famine have also rendered many homeless and destitute, and it is out of these ranks that the huge armies of China are produced.

"China is searching for worthy leaders. Youth is casting aside old traditions and is seeking a new philosophy, and writers are dropping the classic language and seeking to write in a style that may be understood by all," concluded Mr. Johnson, in venturing the opinion that turmoil in China would continue for many years.

In 1907 Mr. Johnson went to Peking to study Chinese conditions under Hon. W. W. Rockhill for two years. Later he was vice-consul at Mukden and Harbin, and was at Hankow in 1911 when the city was burned at the start of the present revolution.

Serving three and one-half years as vice-consul at Shanghai, he subsequently was judicial officer and United States assessor in the Shanghai Mixed Court until 1915. He was consul at Chungsha until 1918, when he returned to Shanghai as executive consul.

Later being assigned to the Far Eastern Division of the Department of State at Washington, he attended the Washington and Versailles conferences as technical adviser to United States delegates.

At the end of 1922, Mr. Johnson was appointed consular inspector and as such visited England, Canada, Japan, China and Australia, returning to Washington in 1925 as chief of the Division of Far Eastern Affairs. Until his present appointment by President Herbert Hoover he was assistant Secretary of State, with jurisdiction over Far Eastern affairs, press relations and university students.

OLD ALLAN LINE HEAD IN CANADA

Mr. Hugh A. Allan Arrives From England on Duchess of York

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Jan. 13.—One of Canada's oldest pioneers in the transportation world, Mr. Hugh A. Allan, founder of the Allan Line of steamships, arrived here today on board the Duchess of York from Great Britain.

Interviewed upon his arrival, Mr. Allan spoke of his associations with the port of Saint John, and the marvelous development the port has undergone since the first Allan liner brought passengers to the port from Great Britain in 1900.

Canadian Pacific, he continued, has done a great deal for Saint John. How rapid the further growth of the port of Saint John will be, no one can tell, but it is certain that it will continue to grow.

Mr. Allan retired as chairman of the Allan Line when it was taken over by the Canadian Pacific Steamships in 1916. He returned from a visit to his daughter in England to Montreal, leaving Saint John by the C.P.R. special boat in the afternoon.

Another passenger on board the Duchess of York was Mr. A. H. Devenish, manager of the Banff Springs Hotel. He returned from a trip to England to make preparations for his second season as manager of the famous resort hotel.

IMMIGRATION MEN SEEK HIGHER PAY FOR EXTRA HOURS

The Victoria Local Council of the Amalgamated Civil Servants of Canada received word from Ottawa yesterday that a forty-four hour week was now applicable to employees of the Federal Public Works Department. Postmasters were also notified to pay Christmas overtime as soon as lists were completed.

In a communication from Mr. Fred Knowles, national secretary for the civil servants at Ottawa, it was learned that no decision had been arrived at in regard to higher overtime rates for Immigration Department employees.

The situation, Mr. Knowles said, was complicated by the department being opposed to requesting the various shipping companies to agree to a higher scale for overtime. Much also depended upon the Department of National Revenue, insofar that it was understood an increase would become effective in the near future for that department.

Call at Chemainus

CHEMAINUS, B.C., Jan. 13.—The United States Ss. Texada docked here on Saturday to take on a cargo of lumber.

The Japanese Ss. Belfast Maru entered port Saturday and is loading salled herrings while lying at anchor in the bay.

On Sunday Ss. B.C. Boy brought in a large boom from Oyster Bay.



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Great Interest Now Being Shown in Municipalities Over Coming Civic Fights

Yesterday was nomination day in the municipalities of the province. There were quite a number of elections to various offices by acclamation, but in many others the aspirants for civic honors will have to secure them through the vehicle of the ballot box.

The following reports have been received from provincial municipalities:

NEW WESTMINSTER

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 13.—Mayor A. Wells Gray was re-elected by acclamation when nominations closed here today.

The other nominations are as follows:

Aldermen—Alderman A. J. Allison; Alderman D. S. Curtis, Alderman Robert Fenton, Thomas Turnbull, Alexander Garrett and John Peck.

School Board — Arthur Davis, Samuel Bowell, R. A. McLellan and Walter Dodd.

Parks Board—R. G. Robson, Alexander Courtney and Herbert Ryall.

Police Commissioner—M. J. Phillips and G. O. Buchanan.

KASLO

KASLO, Jan. 13.—Kaslo voters on Thursday next will cast ballots only in the election of a mayor for the city. All other civic offices were today filled by acclamation. Contesting the mayoralty race are Mayor Frederick E. Archer and David P. Kahn. The following were elected by acclamation: Alderman Alexander L. McPhee and Sebastien J. Reuter; school trustees, Howard D. Dawson and Mrs. Sarah N. Keen; police commissioner, Alexander L. McPhee.

GREENWOOD

GREENWOOD, Jan. 13.—Greenwood today returned its whole civic slate by acclamation. Following are the civic heads for 1930—Mayor, Charles King; aldermen, A. J. Morrison, R. Forshaw, F. L. Peterson, W. C. Wilson, George A. Bryan, Ole Lofstad; school trustee, Charles King; police commissioner, F. L. Peterson.

SLOCAN CITY

SLOCAN CITY, Jan. 13.—Slocan City today elected its civic heads by acclamation. Following are the members and their various positions: Mayor, Peter Swan; aldermen, William Clough, H. L. Fife, William Hicks and C. R. Mosher; school trustees, Peter Swan and J. H. Pinchbeck. (One more to be chosen). Police commissioner, William Clough.

ROSSLAND

ROSSLAND, Jan. 13.—Rossland voters on Thursday will cast ballots only for one office, that of alderman in the west ward. Today Mayor W. A. Turner, three aldermen, the school board and police commissioner were all elected by acclamation. Aldermen elected are Alexander R. Pitt, Robert W. Fox, G. W. Mara. School board acclamations were R. J. Clegg and Mrs. R. L. McAlister. James Benson is the police commissioner. In the west ward three aldermen will be elected on Thursday from the following nominations: James Benson, Ross Hamsen, Ole Osing and John Wilmot.

TRAIL

TRAIL, Jan. 13.—Tadanac re-elected the entire municipal slate by acclamation, as follows: E. M. Stiles, reeve; H. B. Fuller, E. Whittemore, J. M. Young, J. W. McKay, councillors; Alex. Balfour and A. J. MacDonell, school trustees; H. B. Fuller and J. M. Young, police commissioners.

Trail has a contest for aldermanic office, B. Lerose seeking re-election, and F. E. Dockerill, C. H. Burgess and J. R. Anderson seeking election. There are three vacancies. W. C. Aston was named school trustee, and David Smart police commissioner by acclamation.

REVELSTOKE

REVELSTOKE, Jan. 13.—Civic nominations were made here today as follows: Mayor, S. Needham and W. Hardman; aldermen, Ward One, F. S. Hooley, J. Carmichael, W. A. Sturdy and J. Hammond (two to be elected). Ward Two, W. B. Donaldson, Horace Manning and H. F. Cranston (two to be elected). Ward Three, Fred Fleetham, A. McFadyn and W. J. Tomlinson (two to be elected). Police commissioner, J. H. Walter, James Bell and E. G. Burridge (one vacancy). School board, A. W. Lundell, E. C. Ketcham, J. A. Wilson, F. M. Southworth and Dave Orr (three to be elected).

GRAND FORKS

GRAND FORKS, Jan. 13.—There will be a contest for the mayoralty only here when the voters go to the polls on Thursday. E. C. Henniger was nominated today to oppose Mayor Thomas A. Love. Other offices were filled by acclamation. Aldermen are: William Liddicoat, Joseph T. Simmons, Frank J. Miller and John Donaldson. School trustees, R. W. Hughes, James Rooke and H. C. Kerman. Police commissioner, James Rooke.

FERNIE

FERNIE, Jan. 13.—Civic nominations today will be Mayor J. L. Gates, for Reelga section, opposed by J. S. Irvine. For aldermen, three to be elected for a two-year term, Neil McCallum, for re-election; new candidates, Edwin Rutledge, Robert A. Kerr, J. Ewart Gee, D. F. Markland and J. Sweeney. For police commissioner, H. E. Douglas, for re-election, opposed by Arthur Harrison. For school trustees, two to be elected for two years, Dr. B. Asseltine and Mrs. Annie Perry seek re-election, and Alfred Cummings is the third candidate.

NORTH OKANAGAN

VERNON, B.C., Jan. 13.—Nominations which closed this afternoon brought new faces into the municipal arena in North Okanagan. Nominations at Enderby resulted in the following: For mayor, Charles Hawkins, mayor in 1929, is to be opposed by James R. Harvey. For the two vacancies on the council, Gordon S. Duncan and C. E. Richards, members last year, are returned by acclamation. S. Teece is re-elected to the police commission, and two members of the school board returned by acclamation, F. A. Johnson and A. F. Livingstone.

At Armstrong, Alderman J. M. Wright is mayor by acclamation. for aldermen, the nominees for the five positions are: S. G. Carey, H. Collins, H. A. Fraser, J. Z. Parks, E. Poole and F. L. Sugden. For school trustees, J. M. Wright is returned by acclamation. There was no nomination for the vacancy on the police commission.

Vernon has returned L. L. Stewart by acclamation for mayor. For the one-year term on the city council, the nominees are C. J. Hurt and Joseph Dean; one to be elected for the two-year term, Dr. Prowse and H. Bowman being elected by acclamation. For police commission, E. Dixon gets an acclamation, and for the two vacancies for the two-year term on the school board, P. E. French, K. W. Kinnard, Dr. C. S. Dent and B. Dewiele.

James McCallum is reeve of Spillamacheen by acclamation. Three nominations for the two two-year terms on the council are W. Hornby, K. J. Matheson and W. P. Nash. C. H. Hardy and E. M. Rochester will battle for the one-year term. There are three nominations for the two-year term on the school board, with one to be elected: W. F. Brett, E. A. Norman and H. H. Worthington. W. S. Cooke is elected by acclamation for the one-year term.

An election for reeve is promised in Coldstream municipality, W. R. Carnac, reeve for the past three years, is being opposed by A. T. Howe. Five candidates are offering for four places on the council. L. R. Wisby is the new commissioner. Others were members last year. They are C. W. Husband, Stephen Freeman, G. S. Layton, E. J. Sunderland. For school trustees, H. B. Coombes, A. B. Cotton, Dr. J. Jackson are nominated. For police commission, a fourth nomination has to be made to fill the four vacancies. T. A. C. Kent was given an acclamation for police commission.

PRINCE RUPERT

PRINCE RUPERT, Jan. 13.—The following were nominated for mayor today: A. J. Prudhomme, S. M. Newton and C. H. Orme. Aldermanic candidates are: J. H. Pillsbury, R. G. Casey, R. F. Perry, Fred Welsch and George Budderham. For school trustee, L. W. Rugh.

St. Saviour's Has Vestry Meeting

At the annual vestry meeting of St. Saviour's Church last night officers were elected and annual reports read in connection with the various departments. The latter showed a healthy and satisfactory condition in all branches, particularly the Sunday school, which had experienced a good increase in attendance and a necessity for increase in the staff, now numbering twelve teachers. The rector, Rev. E. Moss, was in the chair and read a report covering the work of the past year.

Officers were elected as follows: Rector's warden, Mr. N. S. Fraser; people's warden, Dr. E. W. Henry; members of church committee, Messrs. W. Ashworth, Hooper, F. Tate, H. Gard, C. Vesey and J. Fastick, Mesdames W. J. Smith, G. Barraclough and E. Moss, and Rev. F. C. Mortimer.

The report of the Senior Woman's Auxiliary and Work Society, the Girls' W.A. and the Junior W.A. were all of very satisfactory character, showing a balance in hand with all indebtedness met. The Work Society reported having paid taxes and insurance, also making a substantial contribution toward the organist's salary, and undertook to continue in similar capacity throughout 1930. The report of the Men's Auxiliary showed good work accomplished.

A special tribute was paid to Miss E. Saunders for having completed another year of faithful work in the sanctuary.

Whassat?

By J. H. Striebel



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—Hosiery, Main Floor

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Medium and heavy weights, made to fit snugly at ankles and across insteps, pull up well over knee. Shades are camel, fawn, rosewood, grey, navy and black. All sizes. A pair, **$2.75** and ... **$3.95**

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Girls' Gym Hose A Pair, $1.00

Hose of unshrinkable Botany wool. They have extra long straight legs, suitable for younger children. Sizes 7, 7½ and 8. A pair **$1.00**

Wool Gym Hose in sizes 8½ to 10, with spliced knees and semi-fashioned legs. Proper weight for present wear. Black only. A pair **$1.50**

—Hosiery, Main Floor



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Sale of Dresses Today

New Styles—Fine Fabrics—Favorite Shades

Dresses of Wool Jersey, Georgette and Silk Crepe. A range of shades and neat styles. On sale for **$10.00**

Dresses of Wool Tweed and Silks, with flare or pleated skirts. Very smart frocks. On sale for **$15.00**

Distinctive Dresses of Plain Silks, Crepe Satin and Georgette. Very latest styles and colors. On sale for **$20.00**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

DRESS GOODS

On Sale Today

54-Inch Wool Stripe Bedford Cord, in a soft weave with self stripe; black, navy and orange. A yard, **$1.98**

40-Inch Silk and Wool Dress material, satin finish and with self figured pattern. Shades are black, powder, green and grey. Regular, a yard, $4.75 for **$1.98**

54-Inch Wool Crepe, heavy in texture, and shades of black and navy. Regular, a yard, $1.98 for **$1.29**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

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Genuine Leather Handbags, neatly lined and fitted with inner compartment. Shown in envelope and pouch styles in a choice range of leathers. Every one a bargain!

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January 24

New Shipment of Women's Pullover Sweaters, Each, $4.95

Most Attractive Sweaters, designed with modernistic or all-over figured patterns in floral designs. Collared or collarless styles and numerous shades to select from. Sizes 32 to 40..... **$4.95**

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Formfit Step-In Girdles made of strong knit elastic, reinforced top and bottom and lightly boned across abdomen. Medium length with four hose supporters. Price ... **$4.95**

Step-In Girdle of strong fancy silk elastic with figured satin panel over the hips. Short boneless model with four hose supporters. Price ... **$5.75**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Fast-Colored Sunfast-Striped Casement Cloth, a Yard, 79c

50-Inch Fine Quality Casement Cloth in fast-color contrasting stripes. Smart and attractive. At, a yard ..... **79¢**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor



Girls' Chinchilla Coats

Good Values for Today

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—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

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Monarch-Knit Wool Sweaters with polo collar and band at base. Shown in shades of brown, navy and fawn, with contrasting stripes on collar, cuffs and hem. Sizes 8 to 12 years. Each ... **$1.69**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor



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Odd lines, broken sizes, in white and natural shades; with short sleeves and knee length. Well known makes. On sale, a suit **$1.95**

Children's Fleece-Lined Sleepers with drop seat and reinforced feet. For 2 to 6 years. A suit ..... **95¢**

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Children's Silk and Wool Vests, with round neck and no sleeves. For 4 to 14 years. Each ..... **89¢**

—Knit Underwear, 1st Floor

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Oyster Linen Napkins with colored borders. Priced at 8 for ... **$1.00**

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Infants' Cot Blankets in blue or pink.
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All-Wool V-Neck Sweaters with two pockets, medium weight and shown in heather shades. Special value for ... **$2.50**

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—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Wool Cashmere Socks

All-Wool Cashmere Socks in plain shades or with fancy stripes and checks. All sizes. A pair ... **$1.00**

Fine Cashmere Socks in fancy checks and plain shades, with clox. A pair ... **89¢**
2 pairs for ... **$1.75**

Wool Mixture English-Made Socks, with reinforced heels and toes; fancy patterns. A pair ... **65¢**
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—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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